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PHILADELPHIA.

Preparations for the Republican National Convention.

The City Rapidly Filling Up with Delegates.

Eminent Members of the Party Already on the Ground.

Cheering Accounts Brought from Every State.

The Platform to be Sound on All Living Issues.

Unanimity of the Colored Voters for Gen. Grant.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, June 1.—Since midnight all the trains have brought some of those true Republicans who are gathering here to rebuke the selfishness and trickery that culminated in the Cincinnati nominations. Many delegates have now arrived from the West and Southwest, but as yet chiefly from the States of Ohio, Indiana, Missouri and Kentucky. The train from the West, due here at 4 P. M., is expected to bring many others, and by noon to-morrow at least half of the delegates will be here, and advices from all parts of the country show that by evening the entire Convention will be present, with many prominent gentlemen who are coming as spectators.

THE ARRIVALS.

Among those who have arrived or are yet to come, are many who are honorably eminent in the politics of the country. From Alabama comes that steadfast friend of freedom, Hon. Lewis E. Parsons, former Provisional Governor of the State, and Hon. Richard Busteed. Arkansas has Hon. Powell Clayton, United States Senator, and Hon. Osra A. Hadley, present Governor. Connecticut presents Gen. Joseph R. Hawley, Bartlett Bent, and others of influence. Florida has Hon. Josiah T. Walls, the colored Congressman, and Georgia is headed by Hon. Amos T. Ackerman, late Attorney-General, with Hon. Benj. Conley, the present Governor; Hon. Richard M. Whitely, Hon. John S. Bigby and Hon. Thomas J. Speer, Congressmen, among the delegates. The Illinois delegation is affluent in strong men, among whom are John Young Scammon, Herman Raster, Emory A. Storrs, Stephen T. Logan, Hon. S. M. Cullom and others. Indiana is equally fortunate in her representatives, among whom are Gov. Baker, Hon. Henry S. Lane and Gen. Solomon Meredith. Iowa is headed by Gen. G. M. Dodge, who served with great distinction during the war, and has been a member of Congress. The Kentucky delegation has Hon. James Speed, Attorney-General under Mr. Lincoln; Hon. W. S. Goodloe and others of influence and prominence. Louisiana has Hon. P. B. S. Pinchback, (colored.) Hon. Chester B. Darrell and several of the best representatives of the party. Maine sends Hon. Frederick S. Pike, former member of Congress, and Massachusetts is peculiarly strong with such men as Hon. Alexander H. Rice, Gov. Claflin, Hon. Oliver Ames and others of like character, among her delegates. The Michigan delegation is headed by Capt. E. B. West, a leading representative of Western steam-boat interests, and has in it Hon. F. C. Beaman, late member of Congress, besides others of prominence. Missouri has Hon. John B. Henderson, Ex-United States Senator; Hon. John F. Benjamin, Hon. Henry T. Blow, Hon. H. T. Van Horn, ex-member of Congress, Hon. G. A. Finkelnburg and Hon. S. S. Burdett, present members of Congress. New-Hampshire has Hon. Frederick Smyth and others of equal weight; but the New-York delegation is, perhaps, the strongest of any in the Convention. It is headed by the world-famous Gerrit Smith, and among the other delegates are William Orton, President of the Western Union Telegraph Company; Horace B. Claflin, the celebrated dry-goods merchant of New-York City; Henry C. Bowen, the proprietor of the *Independent*; Gen. Stewart L. Woodford; William E. Dodge, the well-known New-York merchant; Henry Van Aernam, ex-member of Congress, and lately Commissioner of Pensions; James N. Matthews, of the Buffalo *Commercial Advertiser*; John A. Griswold, ex-member of Congress; Freeman Clarke, now member of Congress from the Twenty-eighth District, and formerly Controller of the Currency, and William F. Butler, a prominent colored man of New-York City. The North Carolina delegation is headed by Gen. Joseph C. Abbott, Ex-United States Senator. The Ohio delegation contains Gen. Rutherford B. Hayes, Ex-Governor of the State, a colored man named James M. Bell, Wm. D. Bickham, Hon. Jacob Mueller. The Pennsylvania delegation is headed by Morton McMichael, Ex-Mayor of Philadelphia, and contains, among others, Gen. Henry H. Bingham, James R. Kerr, John A. Shermer, member of Select Council from the Seventh Ward; William M. Bunn, Register of Wills; P. A. B. Widener, City Treasurer; Charles Thompson Jones, member of Select Council from the Twenty-first Ward; Adam Albright, ex-member of the Legislature from this city; L. D. Shoemaker, member of Congress from the Twelfth District; James L. Graham, member of the State Senate from Allegheny County, and recently nominated for Congress; Gleont W. Scofield, member of Congress from the Nineteenth District, and Calvin W. Gilfillan, ex-members of Congress. The Rhode Island delegation is headed by Gen. Ambrose E. Burnside, Ex-Governor of the State, and contains Nathan F. Dixon, ex-member of Congress. The South Carolina delegation contains Alonzo J. Ransier, colored, the present Lieutenant-Governor; R. F. Whitemore, the notorious Ex-Congressman; R. B. Elliott, colored, member of Congress from the Third District, and James L. Orr, Ex-Speaker of Congress, formerly Provisional Governor, and now a Judge of the Supreme Court. The Tennessee delegation contains Roderick R. Butler, member of Congress from the First District, and William F. Prosser, ex-member of Congress. The Vermont delegation is headed by John Gregory Smith and Erastus Fairbanks, Ex-Governors of the State. The Virginia delegation contains Gen. Henry H. Wells, Ex-Governor of the State; and two colored men. The Wisconsin delegation contains Lucius Fairchild, Ex-Governor of the State. Of the Territorial delegates, Jerome B. Chaffee is now the Congressional delegate from Colorado; and Thomas Fitch, one of the contesting delegates from Utah, has represented Nevada in Congress.

There are many others among the delegates who are of great weight in their several localities who have not yet had the opportunity to acquire a national reputation, and it may be said of the Convention as a whole that no representative political body ever convened in the nation which was its superior. It contains many who have received marks of popular confidence, as it has among its members one United States Senator, four Ex-Senators, fifteen members of Congress, twenty ex-members, two Ex-Attorney-Generals of the United States, two Governors and two Lieutenant-Governors of States and fourteen Ex-Governors. The colored people are represented by twenty of their most prominent and capable men, some of whom will be conspicuous in the proceedings of the body. There are, however, surprisingly few Federal office-holders among the delegates. It has been claimed that there are less than a score, but I know only of two Postmasters, one United States Marshal, and one United States Judge. There may be some few others, of course, but these are the only ones of any prominence. The party and the nation are to be congratulated that the slander that this is merely a gathering of the hirelings of the Administration has been so effectually refuted by the Republican masses.

THE WORK IN HAND.

The delegates who have reached here are eagerly canvassing the chances of the future. As to nominations, it is conceded that Gen. Grant will be nominated for President on the first ballot, or more probably without the formality of a ballot and by acclamation. There were some few who were a little unnerved last night by appearances in Pennsylvania, and talked mildly and vaguely of the desirability as a matter of policy of an entirely new ticket, but with fresh arrivals from the South and West, this sort of talk has utterly ceased. Gen. Grant is reported everywhere as stronger now than ever before, and the only man whom the Republicans can nominate with the certainty of success. The colored men who have arrived demand him as the favorite of their people, and the representatives of all the great industrial interests of the country are equally emphatic in his favor. From the sentiments expressed today it is perfectly certain that should Gen. Grant now attempt to withdraw, the Convention would not permit him to do so, but would insist upon his leading the party once more to victory.

THE VICE-PRESIDENCY.

The Presidency, therefore, being an assured fact, there is no speculation whatever concerning it, and all interest has centred upon the Vice-Presidency. This matter has become sufficiently uncertain to be exciting, and as there are several candidates who have earnest friends, the contest is becoming vigorous. It is conceded that Mr. Colfax starts out with by far the largest number of votes, but many deny that he is likely to be nominated. He will have at the start 134 votes instructed for him, and besides these unwavering votes from other States, which will run him up to about 205. Henry Wilson, on the other hand, has only fifty-six instructed votes, but I know from developments of today that he will pick up at least fifty more on the first ballot, and possibly double that number if the South comes up for him in anything like the strength that is claimed. No one supposes that either Hon. John M. Harlan, of Kentucky, Hon. John F. Lewis, of Virginia, or Hon. Horace Maynard, of Tennessee, whose States are instructed to vote for them, will develop any outside strength, and it is generally believed they will be dropped after the first ballot. Hon. William Dennison, of Ohio, will, it is understood, be voted for by his State, on the first ballot, notwithstanding his letter declaring that he does not desire a mere compliment, although this will be determined only after the first caucus of the Ohio delegation. In any case, after the first ballot the forty-four votes of the State will be free to be cast as the delegates may choose, and there is no data by which to judge to whom they will be given, although Colfax will probably get some of them. There are some who think that Hon. James F. Wilson, of Iowa, for whom the twenty-two votes of his State will be given on the first ballot, may develop some additional strength, and possibly become the nominee. It is generally conceded that, unless Colfax is nominated, no Western man will be taken, but the second place on the ticket given to the East. The contest is therefore at present between Colfax and Wilson of Massachusetts, with the chances at present in favor of the former, and the possibility that a compromise candidate will be taken up if the balloting should show a close race between the two. This compromise candidate will undoubtedly be Gen. Hawley, of Connecticut, who is the second choice of almost everybody, and who is today developing unexpected strength in the South and West. As telegraphed last night, he will be presented by his State, and receive its vote, with probably some others, on the first ballot; but his vote will be very small for the first two ballots, under the contingency that is being considered, with the chances in favor of his nomination on the third. The successful candidate must have 369 votes, and as no one can show two-thirds of that number for Colfax, whose whole strength will be apparent from the start, the friends of a compromise candidate are becoming hopeful. It is proper to add that the contest is being carried on with the utmost good humor, and that whoever may be the nominee, he will receive the hearty support of the friends of all the other candidates. Nothing can be urged against either of them, and the whole question is simply one of personal preference and of what is demanded by the best interests of the party. Each of the two principal contestants has devoted partisans, but should either secure the prize, he will have no better support than from the friends of the other. So also if Gen. Hawley should be the winner, both Colfax and Wilson men would be enthusiastic in their advocacy of his cause. There is an earnest contest for the Vice-Presidency going on in the Republican Party, it is true, but it is equally true that it is a contest which is strengthening rather than injuring the party.

THE PLATFORM.

Not much can be said as yet as to the precise wording of the platform, but there is no doubt whatever as to what its utterances will be on the leading issues of the day. Republicans have no need to conceal their sentiments upon any question, nor will they.

The Administration of President Grant will be unequivocally indorsed by his unanimous renomination, but in addition it will be eulogized in the resolutions. As to amnesty, civil service reform, questions of taxation and finance, the inviolability of the Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments to the Constitution, the protection of citizens of all creeds and race at home and abroad, and other leading issues, the Convention will undoubtedly give expression to the sentiments of the party, as shown in the declaration of many of the State Conventions, which have been published in the TIMES. There will be no ignoble prevarication, no uncertain utterances upon any question, but the Republican Party, speaking as plainly now as heretofore, will point to its glorious past as a promise for the future, and appeal with unimpaired confidence to the country.

TONE OF THE DELEGATES.

Arriving delegates bring cheering accounts from nearly all the States. One gentleman, who is thoroughly informed, says Ohio is good for 30,000 majority for Grant, and that there are not over 1,000 Greeleyites in the whole State. Col. Foster, Chairman of the Indiana State Republican Committee, declares that the State is sure to elect Gen. Tom Browne Governor in October by a small majority, and to give Gen. Grant a much larger one two weeks afterward, although he admits they must fight hard to achieve this result. Hon. S. M. Cullom says Illinois is good for 30,000 for Oglesby and Grant, and his estimate is indorsed by that of other gentlemen, who are equally well-informed of the condition of the State. Hon. W. S. Goodloe, of Lexington, Ky., thinks that Bourbon State sure, as usual, to give her electoral vote against the Republican nominee in any contingency, but is certain that if Greeley should be the Democratic nominee, it would be the last victory the Bourbons would achieve in Kentucky, as voting for such a man would have the effect to disintegrate the party. Some gentlemen who are well informed believe that should the race be solely between Grant and Greeley, the former would carry the State; but Mr. Goodloe does not share in this opinion. He counts his State as against us in any event. As to Connecticut, which is usually considered a doubtful State, Gov. Jewell, Gen. Hawley, Bartlett Bent and others of those indomitable workers who have so often wrested it from the enemy, declare that the State is reasonably certain to cast its vote for the Philadelphia nominees. That there is no Greeleyism in the State was amply demonstrated at the time of the election of Senator Ferry, as none of the Republican members of the Legislature who voted against Gen. Hawley have declared for Mr. Greeley, and are not likely to do so now that their chief has declared that to entrust the great interests of the country to the hands of the Tribune philosopher would be "more midsummer madness." In a square race between Grant and Greeley alone there is no doubt whatever in the minds of those best conversant with the political condition of the State, that Gen. Grant would carry it by a handsome majority.

THE PARTY'S STRENGTH.

These are the general facts which have been brought here by the delegates from the States which have been named. Everywhere the Republican party is reported as united and stronger than ever before, as enthusiastic for Grant, and determined to vindicate the integrity of the party by his triumphant re-election to the Presidency. In addition, it may be said that representative colored gentlemen who have arrived here declare that their people are unanimous for President Grant and cannot be cajoled into the support of Mr. Greeley. One of these, who lives in Washington, has an extensive correspondence throughout the South, and has recently had opportunities to converse with many of his race from that portion of the country, and he assured me that his information was positive that the negro vote would be cast solid for Gen. Grant. I am assured of the same fact from other sources, and no matter who may attempt to persuade them to the contrary, it is absolutely certain they cannot be induced to join Mr. Greeley in his sorrowful pilgrimage to the Democratic camp. To them Democracy means robbery and murder, whether under the lead of Horace Greeley, or Jefferson Davis, and slaves as they were, ignorant as they are, thanks to generations of Democratic oppression, they are too enlightened to vote for their task-masters, no matter what pantomimic dress they may assume to deceive them.

GENERAL NOTES.

There is little that is new of local matters appertaining to the Convention. The having been Sunday, nothing has of course been done, but everything is fully prepared, and the work of decorating the Academy will be resumed tomorrow morning and pushed until it is finished, as it is intended it shall be on Tuesday evening. Sessions of the various city committees will be held to-morrow, and the arrangement for the comfortable stay of the delegates and smooth working of the Convention fully perfected. Too much credit cannot be given the Philadelphians for the care they have taken to make the event as pleasant as possible to all the strangers who may visit their city. There is every prospect that, owing to admirable police arrangements and a proper ticket system, one may be able to get in and out of the Academy during the sessions of the Convention without tearing his clothes or losing his temper. Such an experience at a great political gathering will be as rare as it will be agreeable.

E. C.

Missouri Delegation on the War.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 2.—Most of the delegates from this State to the Philadelphia Convention left here to-night. The Democratic primaries elected delegates to the State Convention, to be held at Jefferson City on the 12th inst., to choose delegates to the Baltimore Convention. A large majority of the delegates are for GREELEY and BROWN.

GREEK BRIGANDAGE.

Interesting Statement from the United States Minister at Athens—Exaggerated Statements.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 2.—The American Minister at Athens has communicated to the Department of State, under date of May 4, 1872, the following on this subject:

"Exaggerated and false reports are constantly published by the European Press concerning brigandage in Greece. These erroneous statements are not infrequently republished in American newspapers. They represent that the kingdom outside of Athens is under brigand rule, and that no traveler can with safety venture beyond the limits of this capital. To show the impression made by these publications, I may state the fact that I have received several letters from American tourists inquiring whether they could visit Athens and its vicinity with safety.

Now the truth is, only a portion of the mainland of Greece bordering upon the territory of Turkey, has ever been overrun with brigands. Two-thirds of the kingdom, including the Peloponnesus and the islands, are now and always have been, free from the outlaws. Driven from Greek soil, they cross the border, only to return when they can do so with the least danger to themselves, and with some hope of reward for their daring. The border is extended; it passes over mountains and through mountain defiles, and it is impossible to guard it at all points by military force. And so it is that brigands get into this department of Greece, in which the capital is located.

The Greek authorities have some 3,000 soldiers employed to guard the frontier and afford protection against brigands.

Some two weeks ago a party of brigands who had recently crossed the frontier into Greece, were traced to their place of concealment near the border, and the following persons were captured and killed as reported to me by the Government:

1. BASIL COMBOJANIS, a Chief from Radovista, in the province of Orta, Turkey, who took to brigandage in 1854-1855, and became the most dangerous chief in those parts. In 1865 the Greek Government proclaimed a reward of 15,000 drachmas for the capture and delivery of this malefactor.

2. CONSTANTINE COLOCOTRAS, from Orias, District of Ombraina, who took to brigandage in 1866. In 1870 a reward of 1,500 drachmas was offered for his capture and destruction.

3. PANOS SARKIS, from Maricani, of the Province of Orta, Turkey, who became a brigand five or six years ago. In 1870 the same reward was offered for the killing of the malefactor.

At the same time five prisoners who had broken jail and escaped were recaptured. They had undoubtedly joined the brigands.

The Government authorities inform me that they are not now aware of the existence of a single band of brigands in this Kingdom. But to provide against possible danger from their secret incursion into Greece they prefer to furnish a military escort for persons who desire to travel any considerable distance to the northward of the capital. This is done without charge. The country is sparsely settled, and such protection is always desirable. Mr. BREWER, United States Consul at the Pireus, accompanying two American citizens in a tour making a trip to Thebes, Delphi, &c., and he telegraphed me that there is no evidence of the existence of brigands anywhere on the route; and that they are everywhere most cordially received by the people. A military escort accompanies them.

From the best information I am able to obtain, official and otherwise, I arrive at these conclusions:

1. That at present there is no organized brigandage in Greece.

2. That the Government is doing all that it possibly can to prevent its existence in the country.

3. That the danger from brigandage is confined to the northern section bordering on Turkey.

4. That with a military escort, to be had for the asking, and without charge, travelers may visit this northern section without danger."

A NOVEL CRIME.

Purloining the Secret Correspondence of a City Firm.

How Phelps, Dodge & Co. Found Their Market Forestalled.

Two Arrests Already Made—Remarkable Conspiracy to Ruin a Responsible House—

How the Plot was Carried Out.

A very novel and dangerous method of fraud was developed in the Tombs yesterday morning, before Justice DOWLING. ABRAHAM NELSON, of No. 295 Pearl-street, a broker, residing in Mount Pleasant-avenue, Newark, N. J., and ERRICK P. PETERSON, a janitor in the employ of Messrs. PHELPS, DODGE & Co., Nos. 11 and 13 Cliff-street, were arraigned and committed for trial in default of $5,000 bail, on a charge of burglariously entering the premises of Messrs. PHELPS, DODGE & Co., and stealing an umbrella and some articles of stationery. This charge is only the specific one on which the prisoners could be legally held; the real offense, which is one of a very grave character, not having attained the form necessary to have it entered in the complaint. But the proof of the burglary necessarily involves the story of the greater offense, which, simply stated, is the betrayal of the secrets of their private correspondence and cable telegrams, and by the use of such stolen knowledge, the prostration of their City business by other houses in the same line of trade.

The house of PHELPS, DODGE & Co. does the largest business in iron, lead, block-tin and general metals of any firm in the country. Their correspondents are all over the world, and their yearly business transactions, it is stated, rise to millions of dollars. Their purchases of goods in foreign countries are made months in advance, and most of their communication with their agents in England, France, Russia and China are made by cable telegraph. Some weeks ago the firm were astounded at finding their plans of purchases and sale in foreign countries forestalled by other firms, who had underbid, or overbid them, as the case might be, and this was increased by the knowledge that their private affairs were bruited over the market as common talk. They also ascertained that through some mysterious channel copies of their private correspondence, telegraphic advices from foreign correspondents regarding the prices of minerals and the prospective state of the market, were in the hands of outside parties connected with various firms in the City. A feeling of alarm was felt by the members of the firm at this blow at their interests, which increased as the full extent of the disclosures became known.

As an instance, one of the members of the firm was proceeding to St. Petersburg to make a purchase of quicksilver, amounting to a very large sum. His proposed journey he kept secret even from his wife, and when he left his house for the steamer his family were under the impression that he purposed journeying to New-Orleans, to open a branch house there. But just before he stepped on the gangway of the steamer a telegram was received from the correspondent of the house in St. Petersburg, to the effect that some person in this City had learned of the proposed purchase, and overbidding PHELPS, DODGE & Co. by a fraction, had succeeded in closing out the transaction by telegraph.

Judge FULLERTON, the counsel of the firm, was called into consultation, and given the conduct of the case. He employed Detective THOMAS SAMPSON, of the Stock Exchange, to aid in unraveling the mystery. Capt. WARD, of the Second Precinct, was communicated with, and all the energies of the detectives were devoted to the case. As it was evident to the detectives that treachery existed somewhere among the employes of the firm, a close watch was placed on those who from their position in the house would be likely to have opportunities to copy the correspondence and private telegrams. The confidential clerks and bookkeepers were followed night and day, but not an iota of evidence of guilt could be obtained against any of them. The detectives accordingly determined to look nearer home. A watch was put on the store night and day, when the patient watchers soon found that PETERSON, the janitor, was in communication with NELSON, and almost every morning brought him letters before the firm had opened for business or the clerks of PHELPS, DODGE & Co. had arrived to take charge of their desks. The detectives at once viewed this conduct of PETERSON'S with suspicion, and their vigilance was accordingly concentrated upon his movements. Both men were "shadowed" by extra officers, and every step taken by NELSON and PETERSON was noted down. The first day that NELSON was under surveillance developed a startling fact. After the premises of PHELPS, DODGE & Co. had been closed for the day, and the shades of night were rapidly coming on NELSON rapped three times on the door, when PETERSON at once unlocked the door from the inside and admitted him. After remaining there two or three hours, NELSON left the building and PETERSON relocked the door.

Letters were being constantly received by the firm from their secret agents in Europe and Asia complaining that their best-laid plans were being daily frustrated by some mysterious influence. The firm imagined that the nightly visits of NELSON to their establishment were in some way connected with these developments, so the watch on his movements was continued. It was found that he was in communication with a tin merchant, named JAMES MCPHERSON, residing in Lafayette-avenue, Brooklyn, and that after his visits to PHELPS, DODGE & Co.'s premises at night, he would meet MCPHERSON. On several nights the detectives tracked NELSON and MCPHERSON to the United States Hotel in Fulton-street where they engaged a room under various fictitious names, registering as coming from Key West, Chicago, Long Slue and other places. On one occasion MCPHERSON was seen entering the store at night with NELSON, and remaining inside with the latter for a couple of hours. The detectives during this time had not made any arrests, for as the originals of the private and sealed telegrams which had been surreptitiously copied and used against the interests of the firm were kept in a small movable safe, it was feared that persons of high trust in the employ of the firm were delinquent. Time and the movements of the detectives have dissipated away these fears and doubts, it was at length determined to make the necessary arrests. NELSON came as usual to the office on Saturday night, and was admitted by the janitor, PETERSON. The officers who had been lying in wait at once formed a cordon round the building, guarding the entrances to it, the principal one in Cliff-street and the lesser ones in Gold-street and Ryders-alley. When, after two hours, NELSON emerged from the main entrance, he was at once apprehended by Detective SAMPSON and carried over to Officer MCLOUGHLIN, of the Second Precinct. PETERSON was then placed in custody, and both prisoners were taken to the Second Precinct Station-house, where they were searched. NELSON'S guilt was conclusively proven. In his possession were found copies of the private letters and telegrams received by PHELPS, DODGE & Co. that day, with a false key which opened the movable safe containing the originals of the letters and telegrams. There was also found on his person another false key opening the desk of the confidential clerk of the firm, who makes up the list of prices and calculates the amount of foreign purchases at the current rate of foreign exchange. This confidential clerk, a young foreign gentleman of ability, who had entered the employ of the firm as a correspondent in Russia, and who with MR. DODGE and other members of the firm, was present at the time of the arrest, could scarcely restrain his feelings at seeing the false key for his desk pulled out of NELSON'S pocket. The searching of NELSON produced further results. A silk umbrella purchased by Mr. DODGE the day previous, at a cost of $12, was found concealed in the leg of his trowsers, while a quantity of stationery was cleverly bestowed beneath his vest. A pair of burglars' nippers were also in his possession. PETERSON was not found in possession of any property or plunder.

When arraigned before Justice DOWLING, yesterday, PETERSON made a candid confession of the facts, and after admitting that he allowed NELSON to enter the store at night, proceeded to explain how NELSON became possessed of the false key to the movable safe, in which the correspondence of the firm was deposited. One night when NELSON came into the store to copy what papers were lying around on the desks, he noticed that the clerk who had charge of the correspondence safe, had accidentally left the key behind him. NELSON opened the safe, took an impression of the key with sealing-wax, and had a false key made, which he gave to PETERSON, with the understanding that he was to open the movable safe in the evening, take out the letter-books so that they could be accessible to NELSON when he came at night, and return them to the safe in the morning before the clerks came.

NELSON pleaded not guilty. Messrs. PHELPS, DODGE & Co. announced in Court, through their counsel, Judge FULLERTON, that it is their intention to have MCPHERSON apprehended, and to use every effort to bring to justice several other persons of business standing in the City for whom NELSON is thought to have acted in such a criminal way. The case is an extraordinary one in all its details, and will assume a new and important phase in a few days.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Tariff and Tax—Replies to Sumner and Schurz to be Made—The Rawlins Statue—Interpessing With Mexico.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—The Conference Committee on the Tax and Tariff bill meet again to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, and will probably conclude their action during the day, so that the report can be made on Tuesday morning. The tobacco tax is still open. Paper has been placed at twenty-five per cent. for sized and glued, suitable only for printing paper, and the other varieties, save unsized, are put under the ten per cent. reduction. Carbolic acid, which the Senate put on the free list, has been stricken off.

SUMNER AND SCHURZ TO BE ANSWERED.

It is probable that Senators CONKLING and CARPENTER will make speeches in reply to SUMNER and SCHURZ during the session of the ensuing week.

CIVIL APPROPRIATIONS.

The Senate left off the consideration of the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill yesterday, upon the amendment of the House providing that all work on public buildings shall be done by contract. The Senate Committee is opposed to this, and it is believed the Senate will strike it out.

THE RAWLINS EQUESTRIAN STATUE.

In the Senate Saturday night, after the adjournment question had been settled, a resolution appropriating $10,000 for an equestrian statue of Gen. RAWLINS, in accordance with the recommendation of the special message on that subject recently sent to the Senate by the President, was introduced and passed.

INTERPOSITION WITH MEXICO.

Some time since the Argentine Minister at this capital applied to this Government to intercede with the Mexican Government in behalf of an Argentine subject named MAYER. The Argentine Republic has no Minister to Mexico. MAYER was once a soldier in our army, subsequently entered the service of MAXIMILIAN, was offered pardon and wouldn't accept it, joined the late insurrection under PORFIRIO DIAZ, was captured, convicted and sentenced to death. Minister NELSON informs Secretary FISH that the Mexican Government, in response to our request, has commuted MAYER'S sentence to ten years' imprisonment, and it is Mr. NELSON'S belief that he will ultimately be pardoned.

GOLD SALES AND BOND PURCHASES.

The Secretary of the Treasury has authorized the Assistant Treasurer in New-York to buy $2,000,000 of coin on each Wednesday, and sell $2,000,000 of coin on each Thursday during the month of June. In all, to buy $8,000,000 of bonds, and sell $8,000,000 gold.

FRANCE.

Extensive Cotton Mills Burned—Duel Between Journalists—Bazaine's Case.

PARIS, June 2.—The Lucas Cotton Mills, one of the largest establishments of the kind in the vicinity of Rouen, was totally destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss is estimated at 1,000,000 francs. Nearly 1,000 operatives are thrown out of employment.

M. PAUL DE CASSAGNAC fought a duel yesterday with M. LOCKEY, editor of the *Rappel*. The latter was slightly wounded.

The preliminary examinations, seven in number, of Marshal BAZAINE, have been completed under the direction of Gen. LARIVIERE.

SPAIN.

Serrano and His Humane Policy—Cordova Chosen Leader of the Radicals in the Cortes.

MADRID, June 2.—Marshal SERRANO has arrived in this city. His explanations of his conduct of affairs at the close of the insurrection in Navarre and Biscay, and of the lenient treatment of the rebels, are entirely satisfactory to the Government.

The Radicals in the Cortes have elected CORDOVA, their leader, in the place of ZORILLA.

CUBA.

Alleged Conspiracy of the Volunteers to Burn the Spanish Bank—News from the Insurgents.

KEY WEST, Fla., June 2.—Letters received here from Havana, dated Friday morning, May 31, say preparations were secretly made by the volunteers to attack and burn the Spanish Bank and the Exchange offices on Thursday evening while the procession of Corpus Christi was passing through the streets. Gen. CHRALOS, having received warning, had a battalion of marines, over 500 regular officers and their servants, and a company of volunteer cavalry, to compel all Cubans found on the streets to disperse, and to shoot down on the conspirators should they attempt to carry out their plot.

On the morning in question the President of the Spanish Bank issued a proclamation defending the institution from the charge of speculating in foreign exchange and of raising the rate, declaring that the present high price was owing to causes beyond the control of the bank, which really suffered by it.

Contrary to general expectation the day passed off without disturbance. The procession took place, but the streets were deserted by spectators.

These letters also report that the steamer *Edgar Stuart* succeeded in landing a cargo of war material for the interior. CESPEDES was near Mayari. Several Cuban chiefs had been detected in intrigues with the Spaniards to sell out and deliver their companions into the hands of the troops. Those of the conspirators who were found guilty were condemned to death and hanged on trees, with their head downward.

Trouble in the Havana Stock Exchange.

KEY WEST, Fla., June 3.—Havana correspondence also states that the Government has prohibited the journals from publishing any other quotations than those of the Royal Board of Brokers. The President of the Havana Railroad, in communication to the *Voz de Cuba*, charges the brokers with giving fraudulent quotations in order to mislead merchants and impose on the public. The Government thus makes itself partially responsible for the evil in refusing to allow the Press to publish the regular quotations.

Explosion of a Pleasure-Boat Boiler.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, June 2.—Late last evening at Portsmouth, Ohio, Councilman SCOTT, of that place, with his son and four or five others, went out boating on the Ohio in a small steamer provided with a tubular boiler, which exploded and tore the boat to pieces, wounding nearly all on board. Mr. SCOTT'S injuries will probably prove fatal. His son had a leg broken.

Several Stores and Dwellings Burned in Bath, N. Y.

ELMIRA, N. Y., June 2.—A fire occurred in Bath, yesterday morning, which destroyed BUSHNELL'S shoe-store, on Liberty-street, also the adjoining residences and business places of Dr. WILEY, W. H. PURDY and Mrs. IVES. This was followed soon afterward by a fire in the warehouse of HANDENBROOK & Co. The warehouse, with the stock of agricultural implements which it contained, was entirely destroyed. Total loss, $20,000; insurance, $16,000.

HEAVY DEFALCATION.

A Boston Bank Discount Clerk Appropriates Funds to the Amount of $87,000

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

BOSTON, June 3.—On Saturday afternoon the discovery was made that the discount clerk of the Merchants' National Bank, WM. H. WADLEIGH, was a defaulter to the amount of $87,000 in United States bonds. The discovery was made by Mr. RIPLEY, the Bank Examiner, and on being questioned by the officers of the bank, Mr. WADLEIGH admitted his guilt. It is the old story, so often told that it has become almost stereotyped. The *Daily Advertiser* says:

"Mr. WADLEIGH, about four years ago, when the spirit of speculation was rife, appropriated the funds of the bank to the amount of $87,000, with the intention of making good the amount, but his investments proved unsuccessful. It is a wonder that the matter was kept concealed so long. But Mr. WADLEIGH accounts for it by saying that whenever a bank examination took place he would give the officers the same package of bonds to be counted a second time. But on Saturday Mr. RIPLEY desired to see all the bonds together, and the embezzlement was immediately discovered. Mr. WADLEIGH was taken before United States Commissioner HALLETT, who committed him to Suffolk County Jail in default of $25,000 bail. His examination will take place to-morrow. The officers of the bank have always reposed the highest confidence in Mr. WADLEIGH'S integrity. Mr. WADLEIGH is about forty-five years old, and has always borne an irreproachable character. His circle of acquaintances is large, and he is well known in the musical world. He lives at the South End, and has a wife and one daughter. This is the third defalcation which has taken place in the Merchants' Bank. The defalcation of HOOPER many years ago, and the robbery of the bank by a former cashier before its organization under a United States charter, being well remembered in financial circles.

BY MAIL AND TELEGRAPH.

Class Day at Trinity College occurs Thursday, 20th inst.

Several of the Boston papers have reduced their price and some have increased their size.

The Titusville (Penn.) *Herald* predicts that it will be up-grade for BUCKALEW in the oil regions.

The "California Boy" will again attempt to ride 200 miles in twelve hours, in Chicago, next week.

The President has recognized MANUEL BORGES DE PEREIRAS HENRIQUEZ as Consul of Portugal to Boston.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* calls upon Senator THURMAN to define his position on the Presidential question at once.

The "seventeen year" locusts have made their annual (newspaper) reappearance in Kentucky and Tennessee.

The Sacramento *Union* thinks the total wool clip of California for 1872 will be between 26,000,000 and 28,000,000 pounds.

W. F. CHURCH, Insurance Commissioner for Ohio, entered upon the discharge of the duties of his office on Friday, 1st instant.

At the military post, West Point, there is to be a grand dress-parade today, at which the Board of Visitors are expected to be present.

The Chicago *Journal* asserts that one of the two Republican members of the Illinois House who support GREELEY was a Johnson man.

Senator BROWNLOW rode in the procession in Knoxville, Tenn., on Memorial Day. The *Chronicle* says he appeared as well as he has for years.

The American bark *Cremona*, from Galveston, for Liverpool, with cotton, ran on a reef at Tortugas, but got off with assistance, and put into Key West.

Hon. EZEKIEL A. STRAW will be inaugurated as Governor of New-Hampshire at Concord on Thursday. There will be an annual display of military.

The Jamestown *Journal* intimates that MATT. P. BEMUS and ORANGE S. WINANS are among the "reformers" vehemently shouting for GREELEY.

Terrible thunder-storms, accompanied by heavy winds and torrents of rain, passed over Terre Haute, Ind., on Saturday evening and last evening.

Twenty-three car-loads of strawberries were shipped for Jersey City by the Delaware Railroad on Friday. Eight car-loads were sent to Philadelphia.

Gen. THOMAS EWING refuses to be a delegate at large from Ohio to the Baltimore Convention, but is willing to be a Democratic candidate for elector.

A mad dog attacked and badly bit JAMES CASEY, aged 14, of No. 506 East 16th-street, yesterday. The dog was shot by Officer HEALEY, of the 18th Precinct.

The Morse Base-ball Club, of New-Orleans, composed of telegraph operators, defeated the Southern Express nine in that city, yesterday, in six innings, by a score of 26 to 4.

The New-Orleans *Picayune* publishes, as one of Mr. GREELEY'S "claims to the support of Loumantans," his indorsement of Gen. BUTLER'S famous woman "Order No. 28."

Some boys setting fire to loose straw on the dumping dock, foot of 50th-street, North River, yesterday, achieved the difficult task of setting the dock on fire. It was damaged $200.

Three cars, laden with hay, standing on the track on the Susquehanna Railroad, at Albany, were fired by an incendiary last evening, and entirely destroyed. Loss about $1,000. No insurance.

The American Union Club, of New-Orleans, has unanimously adopted resolutions censuring Major T. MORRIS CHESTER for sentiments expressed in his address at Chalmette, on Decoration Day.

ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS believes that if the Democratic Party (old style) can be united and move in a solid phalanx in the support of a sound Democrat, upon a sound Democratic platform, he can be triumphantly elected.

The Alabama Republican State Committee has elected ALEXANDER WHITE and PAUL STROBACH delegates at large to the Philadelphia Convention from that State, with N. P. STOW and WILLIAM MILLER, Jr., as alternates.

Mr. C. C. KROMER, editor of the *Schoharie Union*, denies the statement of a *Tribune* correspondent that he supports GREELEY, and ridicules the claim there made that several other leading Republicans in Schoharie County will throw their influence that way.

Congressman VAN TRUMP, of Ohio, has written a characteristic letter vehemently denying that he has framed any of JAY COOKE'S circulars, and winding up with saying that if he "is to be ostracised for thinking for himself, and refusing to believe that the best way of preserving the Democratic Party is to destroy it, why let it come."

The St. Louis *Democrat* puts it thus: "Political demoralization has never reached a lower depth, than in this proposal to Democrats to support GREELEY in good faith that he is a hypocrite, and will prove a renegade. It is called political strategy. It is moral stupefaction. The manipulators of this trick imagine they have achieved the acme of shrewdness when they have touched the bottom of degradation. The fatal mistake is in presuming that the people are as destitute of honorable instincts as themselves."

Suicide of a Prisoner Convicted of Arson.

AUBURN, N. Y., June 2.—FRALICK, who was sentenced by Judge SMITH, on Friday evening, to fifteen years at hard labor for arson, in burning the Bennett's store, in Syracuse, about two years since, and who attempted suicide yesterday by taking a heavy dose of morphine, died in Auburn Jail at 4 o'clock this morning. He remained unconscious from the time of taking the poison till his death. After being sentenced, he declared he would never go to prison alive.

Fatal Accident on the Nashville and North-Western Railroad.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 2.—A sleeping-car on the Nashville and North-western Railroad was overturned this morning by the breaking of an axle near Pearman Station, nineteen miles from Nashville. Five passengers were in the car, Mrs. H. WEATHERSBURD, of Memphis, was killed, and Miss GRACIE CURTIS, of Memphis, had a thigh broken and was otherwise injured. The other passengers escaped with slight bruises.

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A DANGEROUS MAN.

BY CORPORAL BUMP.

Mr. SUMNER says that GRANT is a bold, bad, dangerous man.—*Newspaper.*

"A bold bad man is Gen. GRANT,"
Said FLOYD one gloomy night,
As out from Donaldson he crept,
And took his hasty flight.
From PILLOW'S trembling lips these same
An echo sounding made the same.
And BUCKNER thought his chief was right,
Nor longer durst maintain the fight;
And then came down the rebel "bars,"
And from the fort huns stripes and stars.
"That GRANT'S a dangerous man!" said they;
And doubtless think the same today.

"A bold, bad man is Gen. GRANT,"
Said BEAUREGARD one morn,
As from the haughty traitor's brow
The victor's wreath was torn;
And from the field his legions went,
By orders Gen. GRANT had sent.
Then Shiloh's field was ours again,
Despite the host of rebel men.
Who came an army boasting loud,
But went a panic-stricken crowd;
For BEAUREGARD and all his men,
Perhaps thought GRANT was dangerous then.

"A bold, bad man is Gen. GRANT,"
Said PEMBERTON one day:
"My Entrenches are of no avail,
He will not go away."
A stubborn, mulish, dangerous man!
He wants our rebel hides to tan."
And still GRANT'S cannon raked the town,
Until the rebel flags came down;
And then our banners rent and torn
Were through the streets of Vicksburg borne.
The "bold, bad man," first glorious "Fourth,"
Sent gladsome tidings to the North.

"A bold, bad man is Gen. GRANT!"
And poor BRAGG'S eyes were dim
"With tears of rage," I ween,
The useless Rebel arm
And soon the cheers from GRANT'S brave men
On Lookout's crest, told where and when
The rebel General had to run,
And what that "bold, bad man" had done.
"That GRANT'S a dangerous man!" he said,
As from the field his army fled.

"A bold, bad man is Gen. GRANT,"
Said LEE, "that's plain to see;
He must be very bold, indeed,
To think of whipping me!"
Then Petersburg and Richmond fell;
Then Appomatox—may-be—well,
At last our heroes' work was done!
The final victory was won.
Perhaps the people may forget
These things, but then, they havn't yet
They need them, such "dangerous" men,
And think, perhaps, they may again.

"A bold, bad, dangerous man is GRANT,"
JEFF DAVIS thought the same,
When running off in crinoline,
He to the "last ditch" came.
A Kuklux's gentle voice was heard,
And—"GRANT is dangerous" averred.
It needs must be that *this* is so,
For all these rebels ought to know.
Then HALL and TWEED—good honest men—
Say "GRANT is bold and bad," and when
Such men declare it, then, forsooth,
Folks know that SUMNER tells the truth.
ELK GROVE, Wis., May 1872.

—*Galena Gazette.*

AFFAIRS IN ENGLAND.

The Tichborne Claimant—Public Sentiment in Relation to the Case—A Relic of Feudalism—The Patent Laws.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LONDON, Saturday, May 18.

The Tichborne claimant, like a Minister who has been defeated in Parliament, has appealed to the country. He and his chief backer, Mr. GUILDFORD ONSLOW, M. P., have gone on the stump together, in order to collect funds for the defense, and to expose the machinations of the aristocratic conspiracy which has been got up against the poor claimant. This is a brilliant idea, and will, very likely be successful. It is highly improbable that it will save CASTRO, or ORTON, or whoever he is from a conviction for perjury, but it will bring grist to the mill, and enable him to lead a jolly life in the meantime. With matchless impudence the claimant argues that it is monstrous he should be denounced as an impostor without having been tried and convicted; and he altogether ignores the protracted trial, and that his own counsel were obliged to confess that they were at the end of their resources, and could do nothing more for him. He has commenced his tour at Alresford, which adjoins Tichborne Park. He drove up to the town in a carriage-and-four, and men had been hired to take out the horses and drag the coach to the Swan Inn, where the claimant and ONSLOW addressed the crowd. There was plenty of cheering and shaking hands, and cries of "God bless you, Sir ROGER!" And though a liberal distribution of beer had, no doubt, something to do with it, the enthusiasm was, to some extent, genuine enough. CASTRO is certainly a strange subject for a hero, considering that he has himself confessed to horse-stealing and systematic lying and fraud. But there is a notion among the working classes and some of the middle classes that he is repudiated by the TICHBORNE family because he is not a fine enough gentleman for them; and the mob feels that this is somehow personally offensive to itself. There are no limits to human credulity, and it may be recollected that not much more than thirty years ago a bankrupt brewer, who gave himself out to be "Sir WILLIAM COURTENAY, of Powderham Castle," King of the Gypsies, into the bargain, continued to live in State at Canterbury for some months, and was very nearly returned to Parliament as member for the borough. He mustered an armed mob, which he led against the troops who were called out against him, and several lives were lost, his own included. The feeling in favor of the claimant is increased by the inconsistent and capricious manner in which the system of public prosecution is conducted. Sometimes the Government prosecutes criminals, and sometimes it refuses to interfere. A few years ago the Government not only declined to prosecute the directors of the rotten "Overend-Gurney" Company, but GLADSTONE got up in the House of Commons and went out of his way to say that they were very respectable men, but they had some loose practice, that was all; and that persons who went in for high dividends must be prepared for rather a dangerous security. The conduct of the Government in this instance is contrasted with their eagerness to bring down the claimant and the great scale of the preparations for the prosecution. And then it is said the Attorney-General was unduly personal in his remarks on the claimant. He called him perjurer, forger and scoundrel; and over and over again I have heard intelligent persons declare that this was going too far. Obviously if the man is not ROGER TICHBORNE, and that is the Attorney-General's assertion, he is just what he called him. But logic is a scarce commodity, even in this boasted nineteenth century.

A RELIC OF FEUDALISM.

The relics of feudalism are still cropping up here and there, and one of these days there will be a desperate effort to clean them out, once and for all, which land-owners, if they are wise, would forestall by judicious reforms. The other day a farmer in the neighborhood of Tunbridge Wells, was killed by a gun accident. Soon after the agent of the Marquis of CAMDEN, who is the landlord, came to the farm, picked out the best of four cows, and claimed it or its price as a "heriot" for the son on his succession to his father's copyhold. A "heriot" is the fine paid on a change of tenants in copyhold estates, and thirty years ago a royal commission condemned these fines in the strongest terms and recommended their abolition. In this instance the family is poor, is burdened with funeral expenses and other liabilities, and the "heriot" presses on it severely. The amount of irritation and resentment which is caused by the enforcement of these fines is out of all proportion to the profit that the landlord derives from them. It appears that if a property is held either jointly or by tenants in common, or even by trustees, a "heriot" is due on the death of any one of them. Of late years a number of sharp attorneys have been reviving or inventing fines of this kind; and in some cases they have frightened helpless tenants into submitting to an illegal exaction. Nothing keeps down the price of landed property in this country so much as the vexatious and uncertain conditions of tenure. A reform of the cumbrous, antiquated and obstructive laws which regulate the transfer and occupation of land, would add enormously to its value. But the attorneys are a great power in the State, and their efforts to defeat all reforms are supported by the ignorant prejudices of many land-owners.

THE PATENT LAWS.

The question whether the system of patents should not be abolished has been for some time under the consideration of a Royal Commission, which has just reported. The Commissioners are of opinion that the issue of patents does tend to encourage invention and to promote the progress of industry; that the granting of pecuniary rewards could not be substituted with advantage to the public interest for the temporary privileges conferred by letters patent; that the present law is defective, but is capable of amendment. The chief defect is that patents are granted without due examination of the processes to which they relate, so that inventions may be patented many times over, or things may be protected in this way which are either public property by long usage, or which are too trivial and worthless to be protected at all. The Commissioners therefore recommend that a competent tribunal, composed of persons of legal, scientific, or technical experience, should be established to examine and decide upon applications for patents. An opinion is also expressed that there should be an assimilation of the law and practice in regard to inventions among the various civilized countries of the world, and that the Government should concur with foreign Governments as to their readiness to concur in an international system.

There can be no doubt that the effect of patents under the existing law is to obstruct and discourage invention, and to afford facilities for sharpers who trade for trivial or pretended inventions and leavy black-mail from people who are afraid or cannot afford to go to law with them. The new tribunal may mend matters, and is, at least, worth a trial; but the evidence taken by the Commission would go far to justify the abolition of patents altogether. Some of our foremost inventors, Mr. BESSEMER, for instance, prefer to keep their discoveries secret. Mr. BESSEMER patented his steel processes, but he has some other inventions of a highly-profitable nature, which are a family secret.

F. H. J.

Mr. Greeley's Tammany Partnership.

Mr. GREELEY, during a long lifetime, has denounced the use of tobacco, and insisted that the man who used it in any shape was quite as guilty and degraded as the drunkard. Mr. GREELEY was also, until the Spring of 1871, in the habit of denouncing TWEED as one of the most corrupt Democratic politicians in the country. Nevertheless, in April, 1871, Mr. GREELEY joined with TWEED and NATHANIEL SANDS in forming a joint-stock company for the manufacture and sale of tobacco and cigars, and also with TWEED and SANDS was elected to manage the affairs of the Company as a trustee. He kept his connection with this Company a secret, and was therefore under no necessity of changing his profound opinions on the sin of using tobacco. He was, however, compelled to defend his partner, TWEED, as openly as he dared when the TIMES began its attack upon the "Ring." We copy the original certificate of incorporation under which Messrs. GREELEY and TWEED'S tobacco company came into existence. Will the opponents of tobacco and the believers in consistency reconcile Mr. GREELEY'S connection with this matter with his claim to be considered an honest devotee of principle?

State of New-York, City and County of New-York, ss.—We, Nathaniel Sands, Moses H. Grinnell, Horace Greeley, Samuel W. Barnard, William M. Tweed, Henry C. Holly, Henry Holdrege, Courtlandt Palmer, Jr., and Albert S. Yeaton, all of the said City, County and State, do hereby certify that we desire to form a company, pursuant to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New-York, passed Feb. 17, 1848, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of corporations for manufacturing, mining, mechanical or chemical purposes," and of the several acts of the said Legislature amending and extending the provisions of said "act." That the corporate name of the said company is to be "The Tobacco Manufacturers' Association." That the object for which said Company is to be formed are for manufacturing tobacco and cigars by machinery, and otherwise, and for manufacturing machinery and utensils for the purpose of manufacturing tobacco and cigars, and for purchasing all the proper stock, tobacco, materials, utensils and machinery, for the purpose of manufacturing tobacco, cigars, utensils, and machinery, and also for the further purpose of selling the tobacco, cigars, utensils and machinery so to be manufactured to advantage. That the amount of the capital stock of said Company is to be one hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars. That the term of the existence of said Company is to be fifty years. That the number of shares of which said capital stock is to consist is to be seventeen hundred and fifty. That the number of the trustees who shall manage the concern of said Company for the first year is nine, and the names of such trustees are Nathaniel Sands, Moses H. Grinnell, Horace Greeley, Samuel W. Barnard, William M. Tweed, Henry C. Holly, Henry Holdrege, Courtlandt Palmer, Jr., and Albert S. Yeaton, and that the operations of said Company are to be carried on in the City, County and State of New-York.

Dated NEW-YORK, April 25, 1871.

	NATHANIEL SANDS.	[L. S.]
	MOSES H. GRINNELL,	[L. S.]
Five	HORACE GREELEY,	[L. S.]
Cent	SAMUEL W. BARNARD,	[L. S.]
U. S.	WILLIAM M. TWEED,	[L. S.]
Rev.	HENRY C. HOLLY,	[L. S.]
Stamp.	HENRY HOLDREGE,	[L. S.]
	COURTLANDT PALMER, Jr.,	[L. S.]
	ALBERT S. YEATON.	[L. S.]

City and County of New-York, ss.—On this Twenty fifth day of April, A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-one, before me personally appeared Nathaniel Sands, Moses H. Grinnell, Horace Greeley, Samuel W. Barnard, William M. Tweed, Henry C. Holly, Henry Holdrege, Courtlandt Palmer, Jr., and Albert S. Yeaton, all to me known to be the same individuals described in and who signed the foregoing certificate, and they severally before me signed the same and severally acknowledged to me that they signed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned,

WM. O. SHIPMAN,
Notary Public, New-York County.
Indorsed. Filed May 28, 1871.

State of New-York, City and County of New-York, ss.—I, CHARLES E. LOEW, Clerk of the said City and County, and Clerk of the Supreme Court of said State for said County, do certify that I have compared the annexed with the original certificate of incorporation of the Tobacco Manufacturers' Association, on file in my office, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of such original.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal, this 18th day of April, 1872.

CHAS. E. LOEW, Clerk.

ROWING.

What New-York Boating Men are About.

Messrs. EBEN LOGER and ALDEN S. SWAN, who are entered for the double-scull race in the Schuylkill regatta, take their daily practice-pulls on the Harlem River. They challenge the admiration of the numerous aquatic critics who abound in this locality, and, in truth, it would be a difficult task to find a pair of scullers who row so neatly, and work in such perfect unison. Both these gentlemen have won single-scull championship honors in the Atalanta Club, of which they are members, also other races in the regattas of the famous Hudson River Amateur Rowing Association. The aquatic turnout will weigh about 226 pounds, in "fix," including men, boat and two pair of sculls. Their boat is one of the most beautiful pieces of workmanship yet produced. Her dimensions are—length, 32 feet; breadth of beam, 13½ inches. Mr. ROAEN is the builder.

The Nassau Club's four are also actively training on this river, under the mentorship of the invincible Captain of the Ward crew, meaning JOES, of course. They are rowing in most excellent form, and promise to prove formidable antagonists in the four-oared shell race of the national amateur regatta. This crew consists of Capt. GRINNELL WILLIS, stroke; FRANK G. BROWN; GEO. S. FLOYD JONES; F. W. BACON, bow.

The Gulick four row twice each day from Mr. ROAEN'S boat-house, foot of Thirty-fourth-street, North River. They are also training for the Schuylkill regatta, and, barring accidents, will be somewhere in front at the finish of the missus of the four-oared shell race. The crew consists of old and well-tried material, namely: W. GANNON, stroke; W. SPEAR, T. MOORE, R. P. DEELEY, bow. They take long and steady pulls of about five miles, and their vigorous strokes, given and followed with clock-like regularity, tell on the long course which winds over the water with the unremitting certainty of a shadow. They row exceedingly well together, keeping up a steady stroke of about forty to the minute, without raising up in their five-mile trips.

The Call for a Convention of Amateurs.

The amateur oarsmen in and about New-York are considering the propriety of calling a convention to establish rules to govern amateur rowing, and decide upon the proper definition of the word "amateur," which has become such a source of vexation. It will be necessary that several of the leading clubs unite and extend such invitations jointly before such an appeal will be heeded. We have here, within a radius of ten miles, at least fifty strong and prosperous clubs, from among which we may enumerate a few: Atalanta, Gulick, Waverly, Atlantic, Argonauta, Nassau, Grammercy, Manhtta, Sappho, Lotta, Astoria, New-York, Delhon, Hudson, Oneida, Neptune, Alcyone, Nereid, South Brooklyn, New-York Rowing, Sewanhaka, Friendship, Vesper, Palisade, Mutual, Beaverwyck, Olympic, Laurens, Uyanda, Knickerbocker, Keuka, Agricultural, Dundee, Passaic of Paterson, La Favorita, Woosidge, and others about eleven in Philadelphia, Pastime, Quaker City, Pennsylvania, Crescent, Beesley, University, Philadelphia, Malta, Vesper, Undine and Wissahickon, and many more. Some of the foregoing well-known organizations must take this matter in hand, for at these seats of uncertainty contests, further engagements must be expected. The call should be sharply drawn, but those who have hitherto rowed as amateurs must remain, their future acts or pursuits to be judged according to the new law, without fear or favor.

TENNESSEE.

Greeley Looking Around for the Best Way to Use The Millennium Fee as Bait—Tennessee Politics.

From Our Own Correspondent.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Tuesday, May 28, 1872.

There is a very perceptible change already manifest in the feeling of the Southern Democracy toward GREELEY and BROWN. As the antecedents of the candidates are discussed, and the utter shamelessness of the proposed combination studied, the first impulse rises place to sober thought, and the first indorsement to a promise to vote if the Baltimore Convention ratifies the Cincinnati nominations. This is the change going on in the ranks of the straight-out party men, who will accept whatever platform or ticket Conventions put forth. Outside of these "drill sergeants" and their squads—among the independent classes—it is common to hear men of good fighting rebel records declare, as between GRANT and GREELEY, they are for GRANT.

What makes this change? do your readers ask. Well, there are several things. I can give one reason, in the words of an ex-rebel who for the first time heard the war side of GREELEY'S record. He had read in his party journals and Southern men ought to vote for GREELEY because, in 1861, he favored letting the South go in peace; because, again, in 1864, he wanted Mr. LINCOLN to treat with JAKE THOMPSON for peace; and lastly, because in 1865 he bailed JEFF. DAVIS. This, to his mind, was a very good record for a "Radical;" so he made up his mind to go for GREELEY, and in true Southern style he took him up enthusiastically. But when an old war companion who had fought with him under the stars and bars, remonstrated with him for his inconsistency, and told him how GREELEY had clamored for confiscation, and how he wanted Southern homes made desolate and women and children to face starvation, and how he favored the Kuklux laws and sent correspondents down South to write up Kuklux outrages, he exclaimed, "And you say GREELEY'S that sort of a man! Well, JEFF. DAVIS played h—ll with us when he took that man on his bail-bond. I reckon we'll have to stand by JEFF'S friends—but say, can't we get somebody else that'll answer the same purpose, who hasn't got so much of a record?" One reason for the change there is, that GREELEY'S vulnerable points are dampening the impulsive men who rushed after him at first as the Moses to lead them to fat offices and abundant honors. Another reason is, that it is daily becoming more apparent that, if the South insists upon GREELEY, it must part with many Northern Democrats, and virtually disband the old party. These reasons are having their influence, and when men talk about the South being all ablaze for GREELEY, it is pure humbug. Men who take such medicine are not in glee about it. I have talked within a day or two with shrewd men, who have traveled in several of the lower tier of Southern States, and they assure me that Greeley stock is going down. The colored people are remarkably solid for GRANT, and I assure you that GREELEY will get very few colored votes—not even as many as Democrats for local offices usually get. For these reasons I renew the opinion expressed in my first letter, that GREELEY will carry only such Southern States as are legitimately Democratic, leaving States close on a party vote in a doubt, with chances favorable for GRANT.

THE MILLENNIUM NOT AT HAND.

The motives that actuate most of the Southern Democracy to be for GREELEY are not such as to warrant the belief that his nomination will break up existing parties and usher us into a political millennium. Southern Democrats do not propose to disband their organization. They will vote for GREELEY if necessary to beat GRANT, but such motives do not soften the heart. I have heard this declaration many times: "I will vote for GREELEY to beat GRANT—but I would vote, too, to hang him if it could be brought about."

Such feelings are not calculated to inspire me with the hope indulged by some that GREELEY'S election would insure peace and prosperity in the South. On the other hand, I believe firmly that GRANT'S re-election would be worth millions to the South. I am in a position to know that thousands of persons who contemplate coming South to make investments, and make it their home, are now waiting the result of the Presidential election. They know that the re-election of GRANT would insure order and the enforcement of the laws everywhere. They cannot feel assured that the same would be true under a new Administration. They would have to wait a year or so to satisfy themselves on that point. Therefore, I have said repeatedly to Southern people that the South is more interested in the re-election of GRANT than the North is. I believe this will be better appreciated after a while, and will have its influence.

TENNESSEE POLITICS.

EX-President JOHNSON and Ex-Senator HENRY S. FOOTE are already announced as candidates for Congress from the State at large. Gen. CHEATHAM withdrew from the gubernatorial race to get this place, so the Democracy will have trouble over this new office. They are very decidedly mixed here any how. There are thousands of Democrats who will vote for GRANT before GREELEY, and there are almost as many threaten to vote for GRANT if GREELEY is thrown over-board at Baltimore. The Cincinnati Greeley men and the Baltimore men are at war. JOHN MINOR announces himself unconditionally for GREELEY, and will fight the canvass on that issue. JOHNSON is not for GREELEY now, and may not be even if Baltimore endorses him. Other candidates are running on the Greeley issue, so GREELEY promises to be the rock upon which Tennessee Democracy must split. The Republicans have not yet nominated, by their State conventions, for State offices. They will wait for full developments after the Baltimore Convention, and act accordingly.

THE NEW-YORK TIMES.

The TIMES is rapidly growing in favor all over Tennessee. Large clubs are forming everywhere, and it is rapidly superseding, and already leads the *Tribune*. Your correspondent's personal acquaintance with the TIMES will be greatly enjoyed every where, and the career begun in the Tammany campaign gloriously terminate in a crowning triumph for GRANT.

OMEGA.

Wooing the Democrats.

From the Newark (N. J.) Daily Journal, (Democratic.)

To those of us whose business it is to read the leading daily journals, and who not a great while ago found the *Tribune* bristling like a porcupine against the Democratic Party and everything that party did, it is singularly odd to find that paper now wooing this same party with all the ardor of an Adonis. Here is the *Tribune's* sweet introduction to the report of the Pennsylvania Democratic Convention:

"The whole work of today has been one of progress toward liberalism and reform." From the opening of the Convention the ring in its culminating work of nominating Judge WOODWARD as the candidate for Governor this evening, there was exhibited the best spirit of harmony and patriotic devotion to the best interests of the whole people. It was in accordance with this sentiment that Hon. JOHN M. BROOMS, of Clarion, a prominent Liberal Democrat, was elected the temporary Chairman. His brief opening speech, containing calm and patriotic deliberation, was the key-note of the Convention."

We fancy the blank stare of astonishment that would be depicted on the countenance of some staunch Democrat who had been away from home six months, and returning found the *Tribune* talking like this. "Harmony and patriotic devotion to the best interests of the whole people!" Just fancy the great Republican *Tribune* saying that such a spirit actually prevailed in a Democratic convention! Yesterday hash Cincinnati indeed done a great good if no more than to open the *Tribune's* eyes to the truth about our time-honored Democratic Party.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—JUNE 1.

SECOND BOARD—1 P. M.

400	W. U. Tel., b. c.bd.	78⅞	200 Erie..... 42⅞
200	do.....	78⅞	200 do..... cash 42⅝
300	do.....	78⅝	500 Union Pa..... b. c. 99
100	Quick. Mill Co.....	24⅝	100 C. C. & I..... b.c. 89 11⅛
200	Cal. Coal & Mine	45½	100 C. C. & I..... b.c. 89 11⅜
100	Wells' Farge Ex...	87⅛	200 Book., H. & E...b.c. 84½
100	do.....	87	100 Mil. & St. Paul..... 87⅝
100	U. S. Express.....	88	200 Tol., W. & West..... 75⅝
200	do..... cash	94½	300 Tol., Lake S. & W..... 107
100	Am. Mer. Un. Ex...	77½	100 do..... cash 106¾
300	Pacific Mail...b. c.	78⅝	10 Chi. & Alton..... 117
700	N.Y.C.&H.R...b.c.	97⅝	50 Han. & St. Jo..... 41
500	do.....	97½	100 C., C. & Ind. C..... 32½
800	do.....	97⅝	50 do..... cash 32½
4000	N.Y.C. & H.Coup.	94⅞	400 do..... 32⅝
200	Lake S. & M. S...	94½	200 do..... 32⅝
1500	do. b.60. cash	94½	200 St. L. & I. M...b.c. 102½
1200	do.....	b3. 94⅝	

MONDAY, June 3—A. M.

The First of June Schedule of the Public Debt of the United States, as telegraphed, by summary, from Washington on Saturday, exhibits the further decrease, in the principal of the Debt of $4,336,963 since the 1st of May, making the total amount paid off by the present Administration since March 4, 1869, $331,945,884, as follows:

PUBLIC DEBT OF UNITED STATES—JUNE 1.

	March 4, 1869.	June 1, 1872.
Funded Stocks (Gold).....	$2,107,848,150	$1,795,263,900
Yearly interest charge.....	$134,256,350	$108,577,361
Reduction of Principal.....		$311,585,250
Relief to Yearly Interest.....		$25,677,989

Treasury Circulation, Cash on Hand, &c.

	March 4, 1869.	June 1, 1872.
Greenbacks.....	$356,021,013	$357,500,356
Fractional currency.....	26,781,747	47,810,703
Gold notes.....	24,977,520	6,347,000
Three per cents.....	17,140,000	12,085,000
Four per cents.....		975,000
Navy pension fund.....	14,000,000	14,000,000
Past due demands.....	3,031,221	15,407,277
Accrued interest.....	25,011,230	25,145,173
In Treasury:		
Gold coin.....	$53,311,500	$101,426,252
Lawful money.....	58,744,361	91,108,261
Total.....	$649,676,642	$668,811,962
Less notes in the Treasury.....	14,053,520	11,267,814
Balance refunded.....	$417,617,109	$306,133,676
Decrease in refunded debt.....		$19,483,431
Decrease in funded stocks.....		311,585,250
Decrease since March 4, 1869.....		$331,945,884

Outstanding Debt as Above.

Funded.....	$1,795,263,900
Unfunded.....	306,133,676
Total, June 1, 1872.....	$2,101,397,576
Total, May 1, 1872.....	2,107,734,441
Decrease of month.....	$6,336,865

*Excluding about $5,000,000 United States 5-20s of 1862 called in for redemption, (and of which interest has ceased,) but not yet presented for payment.

The Gold balance is reduced from May 1, $17,845,000; resulting from the difference in payments—about $17,000,000 Interest and $3,000,000 on Principal of the Public Debt—and sales $10,000,000, together $35,000,000, and the receipts for Customs about $17,000,000. The shipments of Specie of all descriptions from New-York alone from May 1 to June 1 inclusive, amount to $17,080,000, most of which was drawn from the Treasury in Collections for Foreign account on United States 5-20s of 1862 called in for redemption, and for May Interest on United States 5-20s of 1862-64-65, and the New 5 ₰ cents of 1881. Of the latter about $75,000,000 are owned abroad.

The weekly averages of the Associated Banks, Local and National, reporting through the Clearing-House for the week ending Saturday last, June 1, compare as follows with the previous week, and also with the corresponding week last year. To which we add the Gold and Currency balance in the New-York office of the United States Treasury at these dates respectively:

	May 25, '72.	June 1, '72.	June 3, '71.
Deposits.....	$222,454,800	$226,070,700	$241,383,519
Circulation.....	27,545,300	27,532,000	30,968,122
Total.....	$250,000,100	$253,602,700	$272,352,542
Required 25 ₰ ct..	$62,500,025	$63,366,175	$68,088,060
Actual basis.....	72,313,760	75,048,700	84,630,715
Excess.....	$9,813,675	$11,650,525	$16,542,653
Rate of money.....	6@7 ₰ ct.	6@7 ₰ ct.	7@9 ₰ ct.

Increase in Loans.....$1,078,700
Increase in Specie.....900,200
Increase in other Legal Tenders.....3,173,400
Increase in Deposits.....3,616,100
Decrease in Circulation.....13,300

	June 1, '71.	June 1, '72.	May 25, '72.
National Capital.....	$73,825,000	$71,983,800	$71,783,800
Loan Capital.....	14,744,650	15,370,500	15,370,550
Total.....	$88,569,600	$87,154,000	$87,154,000
Loans.....	291,812,142	304,774,900	303,696,100
Gold and Gold Notes.	12,729,885	21,706,300	20,705,600
Legal Tenders.....	53,744,500	53,744,500	53,744,500
Deposits.....	241,588,510	236,070,900	223,454,800
Circulation.....	20,986,733	27,532,000	27,545,300
In Sub-Treasury.....	60,991,994	61,201,708	60,262,253

The Bank return published this morning exhibits the relative strength of the movement in respect to the lawful Money held, as against the Circulation and Deposits, to which we add the position of the movement the week before, and also of the movement of the corresponding week last year:

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The Bank movement continues to strengthen in Gold and Greenbacks, and there is a growing ease in the supply of Money balances offered to the Brokers at 5@7 ₰ cent., while the Mercantild demand for discounts is met at Bank at 7 ₰ cent., with exceptions on prime short paper at 6 ₰ cent. We subjoin the condensed figures of the last Quarterly Reports of all the National Banks of the United States, as compared with the February return.

ALL NATIONAL BANKS—STATEMENT OF APRIL 19, 1872.

	Feb. 27, 1872.	April 19, 1872.
Capital paid in.....	$463,899,834	$467,934,218
Surplus fund.....	103,779,582	104,312,826
Profits unappropriated.....	46,729,200	46,626,200
National circulation.....	321,618,226	325,306,780
Old local circulation.....	1,330,582	1,783,882
Individual deposits.....	598,982,300	626,776,296
U. S. deposits.....	6,944,257	6,335,729
U. S. disbursing officers.....	4,988,977	5,240,704
Due to national banks.....	126,620,980	130,765,565
To other banks & b'kers, &c..	59,940,627	46,614,214
Total liabilities.....	$1,717,804,069	$1,743,657,319
Loans and discounts.....	$838,311,423	$841,060,414
U. S. stock for circulation.....	270,074,700	274,428,450
Other United States funds..	27,002,800	24,402,100
Gold coin and bullion.....	119,076,264	122,240,704
Gold and silver.....	25,447,152	24,443,856
Due from national banks.....	122,720,937	118,217,602
Due from other banks.....	13,267,752	12,236,716
Bills of national banks.....	18,476,190	19,443,304
Real estate.....	30,652,676	30,562,274
Stocks and mortgages.....	22,765,759	21,535,914
Cash items for Clear'g House.	105,267,234	128,037,187
Miscellaneous.....	16,241,173	20,448,798
Total resources.....	$1,717,804,069	$1,743,657,319

The comparative strength of movement in February and April may be thus stated:

Deposits in gross.....	$598,982,300	$626,776,296
Less clearing items.....	105,267,234	128,037,187
Net deposits.....	$427,794,966	$464,118,128
Note to banks.....	32,962,972	34,252,454
To Treasury.....	11,772,615	9,775,044
Circulation.....	321,618,226	325,306,780
Demand in liabilities.....	$838,948,581	$865,446,627
Gold and greenbacks.....	144,454,471	147,684,803
Pro rata.....	16.30 ₰ ct.	17 ₰ ct.

The import entries at New-York, embracing foreign Dry Goods and General Merchandise for the week past, were $12,235,783, as against $7,671,435 for the corresponding week last year. The exports of Domestic Produce, other than Gold and Silver, were $5,702,647, against $4,162,140 same week in 1871. The export of Gold and Silver, $4,943,064, against $9,038,500 same week in 1871. The Customs in Gold paid into the New-York Office of the United States Treasury for the week were $1,743,945. The receipts of Cotton, coastwise and by rail, 7,602 bales.

The Gold values of the Import Entries of Foreign Merchandise at New-York, exclusive of Foreign Specie, since July 1, 1871, are as follows, the figures being official to May 1, and since semi-official from the Custom-house:

July.....	$20,888,204	March.....	$30,927,870
August.....	26,082,580	April.....	46,320,319
September.....	22,610,576	May 4.....	15,190,276
October.....	20,023,093	May 11.....	7,425,886
November.....	24,189,941	May 18.....	10,734,836
December.....	25,825,267	May 25.....	9,449,022
January.....	25,627,174	June 1.....	12,235,783
February.....	27,753,463		
Total since July 1.....			$260,567,186
Against same date 1871.....			225,051,466
Increase since July 1.....			$35,705,720

The currency value of Exports of Domestic Produce and Miscellaneous Goods, including Foreign Goods re-exported from New-York since July 1, is as follows:

July.....	$16,886,853	March.....	$16,599,019
August.....	19,810,527	April.....	17,099,734
September.....	20,635,302	May 4.....	4,795,776
October.....	23,242,353	May 11.....	4,572,175
November.....	19,233,527	May 18.....	4,741,809
December.....	19,771,884	May 25.....	4,936,505
January.....	16,961,504	June 1.....	5,702,647
February.....	17,815,049		
Total since July 1.....			$210,824,501
Against same time 1871.....			206,092,114
Increase since July 1.....			$4,732,387
Gold, June 1, 1872.....			114¼ ₰ ct.
Gold, June 3, 1871.....			113 ₰ ct.

The Exports from New-York of Gold and Silver Coin and Bullion, since July 1, are as follows:

July.....	$11,236,205	February.....	$977,697
August.....	2,701,297	March.....	2,713,604
September.....	3,120,520	April.....	4,499,513
October.....	1,095,981	May 4.....	1,285,054
November.....	2,124,259	May 11.....	4,093,995
December.....	2,284,193	May 18.....	3,262,068
January.....	1,540,363	May 25.....	4,276,679
Total since July 1.....			$46,460,758
Against same time 1871.....			73,653,173
Decrease since July 1.....			$28,170,441

The following are the Customs receipts of Gold, and the interest paid on the Public Debt in Gold, at the New-York Office of the United States Treasury since July 1:

	Customs.		Gold Interest.
July.....	$12,695,907	July.....	$17,129,217
August.....	27,547,000	August.....	5,084,500
September.....	17,661,000	September.....	4,308,523
October.....	12,770,220	October.....	1,761,929
November.....	9,183,947	November.....	12,813,000
December.....	8,504,332	December.....	2,227,625
January.....	12,256,000	January.....	18,154,598
February.....	14,641,852	February.....	1,763,168
March.....	14,388,878	March.....	1,854,504
April.....	14,299,170	April.....	655,000
May.....	11,564,894	May.....	13,078,668
June.....	5,847,000	June.....	1,774,000
Total.....	$161,414,400	Total.....	$84,804,455
Total, 1871.....	127,776,256	Total, 1871.....	94,074,739

The gross Importations continue to run ahead of last year, but since the First of May the amount of Foreign Merchandise upon which Customs are being paid is rather less, and the accumulation in Bond, to await the operation of the revised Tariff in July, much greater than in any previous season. The effect of Tariff legislation in Congress began to be felt in April, when the accumulation in Bond at this port was $7,174,000. The Customs in May fell $728,000 behind the same month last year, and although they were comparatively moderate in June, 1871, they are likely to fall this month as nearly all Foreign Merchandise, except Sugars and Silks, is to be more or less effected by Tariff revision, and Teas and Coffee made free, after July 1, except as to the ad valorem duty of ten per cent. when not imported from the places of their growth. This discrimination in favor of our own ships trading East of the Cape of Good Hope, we notice is to be continued.

COURSE OF STOCK EXCHANGE—THIS WEEK.

	June 3, '71.	
American Gold.....	113¾ @ 114⅛	113
U. S. 6-20s, '62, May and Nov.....	114½ @ 115	111⅞
U. S. 5-20s, '65, Jan. and July.....	114⅜ @ 117⅛	114¼
U. S. New 5 ₰ cents.....	112¾ @ 113	107
Central Pacific 6 ₰ cents.....	102¾ @ 104⅜	102¼
Union Pacific 6 ₰ cents.....	89 @ 93¾	92

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Sunday, June 2, 1872.

The receipts of leading articles of domestic produce were as follows:

Ashes, pkls..... Beef, bbls..... Beef-tcs, pkls..... Beeswax, pkls..... Butter, pkls..... Cheese, pkls..... Coal, bushels..... Corn, bushels..... Cotton, bales..... Domestics, pkls..... Flour, bbls..... Grain, bushels..... Hair, bales..... Hides, No..... Leather, sides..... Lead, pkls..... Lime, bbls..... Oil-cake, pkls..... Oil, bbls..... Pork, bbls..... Provisions, pkls..... Rice, pkls..... Seeds, pkls..... Spirits, bbls..... Starch, pkls..... Stearine, pkls..... Sugar, hhds..... Tallow, pkls..... Tobacco, hhds..... Tobacco, pkls..... Whiskey, bbls..... Wool, bales.....

The export movement continues about the same as last week, as reported at the Merchants' Exchange, Pine-street, have been as follows:

By the steamer *City of Paris*, for Liverpool—1,004 boxes Bacon, 31 tcs Pork, 5 bales Furs; 135 hhds Tallow, 41 pkls Tongues, 20 pkls Beef, 32 bales Skins, 7 casks Oysters, 8,400 boxes Cheese, 60 tcs Meat, 20 hhds Shoulders, 24 casks Bone-Nuts, 177 pkls Machinery, 7 cases Woollen Goods, 90 tcs Lard, 15 tcs Bacon, 200 boxes Meats, 166 pkls Resin, 4 cases Sewing-machines, 13 boxes Ham, 81 hhds Tallow, 84 pkls Agricultural Implements.

By the steamer *Adriatic*, for Liverpool—4,000 Staves, 1,200 bushels Wheat, 56,781 bushels Corn, 1,627 boxes Cheese, 13 pkls Beef, 708 boxes Bacon, 643 sides Leather, 1,200 Deerskins, 20 cases Furniture, 50 pkls Oysters, 40 boxes Soap, 1,741 gallons Petroleum, 30 pkls Domestics, 100 Shooks, 10,056 lbs Lard, 820 pkls Beef, 5,001 pieces Lumber, 20 cases Matches, 650 reams Paper, 30 pkls Glassware.

By the bark *P. C. Wormser*, for Rio Janeiro—2,100 gallons Refined Petroleum, 70 boxes Masons, 10 boxes Copying Presses, 40 cases Domestics, 5 bbls. Gasoline, 75 cases Refined Candles, 10 bales Cotton, 200 bbls. Resin, 100 Shooks, 40 pkls Tea, 50 kegs Lard, 151 cases Drugs, 10 cases sewing-machines, 800 bbls. Flour, 25 bbls. Beef, 5,001 pieces Lumber.

By the bark *Ariel*, for Hamburg, by the ship *Total Wass*, 826,856 gallons Refined Petroleum....For Bremen, by the bark *Meridian*, 154,699 gallons Refined Petroleum....For Amsterdam, by the bark *Gloucester*, 10 Queenstown, 38,684 bushels Corn....By the bark *Statine*, for Limerick, 29,149 bushels Corn.

FOOD—Fruit but steady; stock, 17 bbls. and 2,034 bags.

COFFEE—Rio has been quoted up about 1c. ₱ lb., on a rather more confident demand for desirable lots, which have been offered with reserve; sales, 1,456 bags, by the *Merrimac*, at 18½c., gold, ₱ lb., in bond. Other Rios nominally within the above term range. Stock of Rio, 123,800 bags; of other kinds, 40,941 bags and 153,266 mats.

COTTON—Has been very quiet, but quoted steady, with nearly 500 bales delivered, including 1 bales to shippers, 193 bales to spinners, and 110 bales to speculators. For forward delivery there has been a more active movement reported at an advance of ⅛c. ₱ lb., with 17,050 bales sold, 7,650 bales last evening, and 14,900 bales to-day.] ocas of Low Middling, including last evening, for June, 1,750 bales at 25 5-16c.@25 11-16c.; July, 1,700 bales at 25 13-16c.@26c.; August, 700 bales at 26 1-16c.@26¼c.; September, 950 bales at 24½c.; October, 4,000 bales at 20 13-16c.@20 15-16c.; December, 600 bales at 19 9-16c.@19 7-16c. And to-day, for June, 5,900 bales at 25 11-16c.@25 13-16c.; July, 2,000 bales at 25 13-16c.@26c.; August, 1,400 bales at 25 5-16c.@25 9-16c.; September, 550 bales at 23 3-16c.; October, 800 bales at 20 5-16c.@21c.; November, 400 bales at 20c.; December, 600 bales at 19 7-16c.@19 5-8c. Exchanges—4c. paid to exchange 100 bales June for July; 100 bales July for August; 100 bales August for forward deliveries, as officially reported upon the bulletin, were as follows: June 25.67c.; July, 25.79c.; August, 26.44c.; September, 23.10c.; October, 20.06c.; November, 20.06c.; December, 19.71c. The receipts at this port to-day were 1,218 bales, including 16 bales from Norfolk, 1,202 bales from New-Orleans. The reported receipts at the shipping ports of the week were 57,000 bales, against 57,000 bales at this time the previous week. The receipts at all the shipping ports since Sept. 1 have been 3,620,866 bales, against 4,777,686 bales in 1870-71. The following official quotations for the week ending to-day indicate quality more than half a grade above or below the grade quoted:

Closing Prices of Cotton in New-York To-day.

	Uplands	Alabama	N. Orleans	Texas.
Ordinary	24c.	24c.	24c.	24c.
Good Ordinary	25¼	25¼	25¼	25¼
Low Middling	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Middling	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Good Middling	27¼	27¼	27¼	27¼

DYE-WOODS—Quiet, within our previous range of stock, 120 tons Fustic, 1,285 tons Log-wood, and 5,520 tons of other kinds.

EGGS—Have been quiet since our last, within our range, and we now quote for choice to fancy, 16@16½c. ₱ lb., in small marks, the main business having been in fresh lots of Western and State at from 15c. 2@15½c.

FLOUR AND MEAL—There has been a very slow trade reported in State and Western flour, mainly in jobbing, cobbling, and retail lots, and the market is made since our last of 5,000 bbls., all told, including inferior to choice superfine State and Western at 5@6.50, very inferior to very good Extra State, at 6.60@7.10, fancy to choice Extra State, at 7.15@7.50, poor to very good shipping Extra Western at 6.40@7.10, common to good shipping brands round-hoop Extra Ohio at 7.20@7.50, and Trade and Family Extras at proportionate prices.

Southern Flour continues dull and heavy. Sales have been reported since our last of 220 bbls. at 6.85@8.50 for fair to ordinary to very good, and 9.20@13.50 for fancy and extra. Rye Flour is dull and nominal at 5.50@6.50 ₱ bbl. Corn-meal continues in slack demand at from 3.50@3.80 for Yellow and Yellow Western, 3.60@3.75 for Brandywine, and 3.75@3.90 for Jersey, and 3.70@4 for Brandywine; sales, 220 bbls.

WHEAT—Wheat has been quoted about steady, on light offerings of desirable lots, but has been very quiet, sales having been confined to 18,000 bushels at 1 at 1.09 for No. 2 North-western Spring; 1 choice Spring, 1.10 for No. 2 Milwaukee Spring; 1.12 for No. 1 Spring, and 1.09 for No. 2 Red Winter.

Corn has been quite active, with steamer prices somewhat easier, under freer offerings, while sailing and all rail grades have been in fair supply and held with comparative firmness. Sales have been reported since our last of 153,000 bushels, part of active, at 61¼c.@62c. for inferior to choice new Mixed Western, closing at 60¾c.@62c. for inferior to good, and 61¾@62c. for choice to prime adding vessel grades, prompt delivery; 72c@73c. for old Mixed West rn, prompt delivery; 71¾c.@73¼c. for New Yellow Western; and 72c. for White Western. Oats have been dull and irregular. Of Canada sales have been reported at 51 ₱ bushel; 1,000 bushels Rahway, and 1,000 bushels Jersey, at 53c.; and 3,000 bushels Delaware, at 52½c. Of State sales have been reported since our last of 153,000 bushels, part of active, at 61¼c.@62c. for inferior to choice new Mixed Western, closing at 60¾c.@62c. for inferior to good, and 61¾@62c. for choice to prime adding vessel grades, prompt delivery; 72c@73c. for old Mixed West rn, prompt delivery; 71¾c.@73¼c. for New Yellow Western; and 72c. for White Western. Oats have been dull and heavy.

The New-York Times.

NEW-YORK, MONDAY, JUNE 3, 1872.

Amusements This Evening.

BROOKLYN ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—LONDON ASSURANCE—Mr. Charles Mathews, Mr. Lester Wallack.

THEATRE COMIQUE.—CHICAGO—Chas. B. Thorne and company.

BRYANT'S OPERA-HOUSE.—THE BOHEMIAN GIRL. (English Opera)—Miss Emma Howson, Mr. Brookhouse Bowler.

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It was our melancholy duty yesterday to announce the death of Mr. JAMES GORDON BENNETT, the founder of the New-York *Herald*. Mr. BENNETT was in his seventy-seventh year and had been ailing for some time, the immediate cause of his death being two convulsive attacks accompanied by epileptic symptoms. We published in yesterday's TIMES a very full and interesting biography of Mr. BENNETT, which will be republished entire in our weekly and semi-weekly editions.

The *Tribune* has recently exulted over what it calls the "enthusiasm" for Mr. GREELEY in the northern part of this State, indicating the river counties. Two gentlemen from Jefferson County are now visiting this City who are well acquainted with the feeling in Lewis, Jefferson, St. Lawrence and Franklin Counties, and who are entirely trustworthy—and they declare there is no Greeley enthusiasm in those counties, and but very little talk even about him, and that little not flattering. The enthusiasm is altogether for GRANT, and GREELEY's name as a candidate has only provoked laughter. In their own section, Jefferson County, they have not yet met the first Greeley man.

There may be a difference of opinion as to the propriety of Mr. SUMNER's disclosing the dying utterances of Mr. STANTON, made to him in the confidence of the sick room, though we should hardly think there could be; but there can be no dispute that he ought to have adhered to the truth. He represents Mr. STANTON as saying that in his speeches during the canvass of 1868, he "never introduced the name of GRANT." We reproduce this morning, from the Philadelphia *Bulletin*, extracts from one speech made by Mr. STANTON on the eve of the election, in which he spoke of Gen. GRANT by name twelve times, and spoke also in the most unqualified manner of his "merits." It is plain, therefore, that the great War Secretary never could have made one of the assertions attributed to him. What likelihood, then, is there that he ever made the other?

Judged by the standard applied heretofore by "Liberals" to public men, the members of the Conference Committee on the Tax bill are likely to prove very "offensive." They are actually proceeding to complete the bill, and will probably report it back to-night or to-morrow, when it will be passed. The Committee is a strong and fair one, consisting of Messrs. SHERMAN, MORRILL and BAYARD, from the Senate, and Messrs. DAWES, KELLEY and KERR, from the House; but they will not escape the wrath of the bogus "reformers," who have been declaring for a fortnight that nothing would or could be done by this Congress toward reducing taxation.

The veto by the President of "the act for the relief of J. MILTON BEST," is another instance of that practical vigilance with reference to public affairs which Gen. GRANT has, in a quiet and unobtrusive manner, repeatedly shown. The President points out that the act, which appropriates money for property destroyed by the Union army in the late war, is a precedent in favor of an innovation in law which opens the door to an immense number and amount of claims; and that these ought to be granted, if at all, by a competent tribunal on sufficient evidence, after opportunity for hearing both sides. This is a substantial kind of common sense that finds small favor with those "Liberals" who recognize nothing by that name that is not turned out of their factory, and secured by patent to their own exclusive ownership.

The Associated Press dispatches from Washington, this morning, give some interesting details touching the examinations for vacancies in the departments under the new civil service rules. No one can read them without perceiving that the reform now going into operation is a practical and wholesome one, promising as much for those engaged in the civil service as for the country.

The Dana-Sumner Budget of Slander.

Gen. LOGAN has taken so "independent" a part in recent discussions that he has been claimed by the Anti-Administration faction as one of themselves. But, on Saturday, he made a speech which was worthy of an honest and a brave man, in reply to the abominable slanders raked together by Senator SUMNER out of DANA's cesspool. He protested against Mr. SUMNER's tirade as a "brutal, vile and malignant attack;" said that the President was entitled to be secure "from aspersion, from vilification, and from slander;" and added, amid loud applause from the galleries:

"I tell the Senator from Massachusetts now, that he will find a response to that malignant speech in every crutch that aids a wounded soldier to wend his way through the world, in every wooden arm, in the grieved heart of every widowed mother mourning for her patriot son. In these, and in the hearts of all the loyal people of this country, he will find a response that will overwhelm him and all his oratory. All these will speak, in thunder tones, in defense of one of the most gallant soldiers that ever lived in any nation on the earth."

The general outburst of cheers which greeted these words must have helped to convince Mr. SUMNER that when he scraped up all the garbage out of the gutters of the *Sun* to throw at Gen. GRANT, he outraged public decency, and offended that love of fair play which is a characteristic of our race. Gen. LOGAN will be told by the *Tribune* that he has put on the "Administration collar." It will be said that he is bribed—that somebody or other has given him a house or a cottage. But honest men everywhere will heartily applaud his indignant protest against one of the most cowardly and disgraceful attacks ever heard within the walls of a Legislature.

In the heat of passion, many a man might so far forget the dictates of his better judgment as to go to a convicted libeller for the material of his charges against an antagonist. But this essay or oration of Mr. SUMNER's has been months in preparation. He has worked at it continually since last December. With the files of the *Sun* before him, and PLUTARCH, and a few old school-books, he sat himself down month after month to prepare what he calls a "speech." He has tried to dignify the vulgar rubbish of the *Sun* with a few of the trite classical allusions and quotations which are never heard but from the lips of a pedant. DANA may possibly have touched up the precious Sumnerian manuscript. He may have introduced the modern authors, and left his colleague to work up scraps from VIRGIL and PLUTARCH. At any rate, every one of DANA's slanders is repeated by Mr. SUMNER, sometimes in DANA's own words. Over and over again have Mr. SUMNER's charges been proved to be false. He says that the President has taken presents since his election. It is false. Before his election as President, the people of various cities made a few offerings of their gratitude—and never before did a soldier who had accomplished so much for a great people, receive so little even in this way. Since he became President, he has received nothing. DANA asserts to the contrary; but DANA is a cowardly defamer, who spares no man—nor woman neither, for it is his constant practice to drag women into his vile libels. Mr. SUMNER is a man who might be supposed superior to this infamous work. But he appears to be capable, when moved by personal resentments, of going into it with all the eagerness of DANA, although he presents the results more in the manner of a school-master. According to him, Gen. GRANT has never done a good day's work for the nation. Yet, as somebody once before told Mr. SUMNER, if it had not been for Gen. GRANT, there might have been no Senate for Mr. SUMNER to read his essays in.

We hope his abusive lecture, or oration, or whatever it is to be called, will be scattered far and wide over the land. It will, as Gen. LOGAN predicts, produce an immediate response—but not the sort of response which Mr. SUMNER looked for. It will arouse that feeling which all Americans entertain when they see a public servant cruelly and maliciously wronged. It will awaken that sense of justice which is never dead, although it may sometimes be dormant, in a great people. It will lead thousands of men and women throughout the Union to remember the services which Gen. GRANT has conferred upon the country, and to compare those services with Mr. SUMNER's scandalous description of the man. None of us like to stand by and see all the mud of the streets thrown at a great leader, who has done nothing worse than to add imperishable renown to his country. Even in private life, if we see all the calumnies hurled at a man that envy or disappointment can invent, we feel constrained to protest against the ill-usage, and at least to recall the good points of the accused. That sentiment Mr. SUMNER provoked when he stained his hands with DANA's filth, in order to wreak revenge for what he regards as a personal wrong. Instead of injuring the President, he will rekindle in his behalf that feeling which was evoked when LEE surrendered his sword to a conqueror who could be at once great and magnanimous, and which forced him three years afterward to quit a post congenial to him for one in which ingratitude, misrepresentation and dastardly slanders have followed him night and day.

Mr. Gratz Brown's Letter.

In spite of the uncertainty that has been steadily gathering around the Cincinnati ticket since it was nominated, Mr. B. GRATZ BROWN has plucked up courage to accept his nomination, and to undertake a defense of the faction by which it was offered. As compared with Mr. GREELEY's letter of acceptance, that of Mr. BROWN has the negative merits of reasonable dignity in tone, and of not making any sophistical "epitome" of the platform. But it serves to bring out in a striking manner the utter inadequacy of the reasons which the Greeley-Brown men allege for their factious course. The letter assumes that the stability of the system of republican government is threatened by certain grave dangers. Chief of these is the possibility of "permanent estrangement," for which Mr. BROWN declares the Cincinnati Convention proposed the only sufficient remedy—"complete amnesty," another term with him for "equal rights." Mr. BROWN's letter bears date May 31. The Amnesty act had then been in operation nine days. It was not "complete," but the only exceptions to it were some two hundred men who had betrayed the highest trusts in the National Government, to enter on the work of treason. Does Mr. BROWN mean to say that the existence of these exceptions is likely to cause a "permanent estrangement?"

The question answers itself. Any such fear would be manifestly absurd. But Mr. BROWN chooses to declare that "the removal of disabilities as to some and their enforcement as to others leaves room for suspicion that pardon is measured by political gain." This is absurd. What has the Republican Party to gain by removing the disabilities of the mass of the disqualified citizens of the South, and enforcing them as to certain of the most influential of those citizens? Is it not evident that the animosity of those specifically excepted is much more likely to have political effect than the gratitude of those included in a general act? If political gain had been the purpose of the Republican Party, it would have made amnesty "complete," and enacted it, as Messrs. GREELEY and BROWN say they would have done, had it been left for them, as a concession of "right" to the class benefited by it. But no such theory prevails with the Republican Party, or can prevail, from the fact, that that party represents the feeling of the whole country, and acts in accordance with it. Amnesty was a measure of practical politics. It was a pardon granted to the authors and promoters of the rebellion, not as a matter of right, not as condoning or ignoring the rebellion, but on the understanding that the rebellion had been forever abandoned, and as a seal set upon the surrender.

No other ground could possibly have been accepted by the people at large. We may add that none other would have made it a safe and wise proceeding. To concede amnesty as a "right" is to concede the guiltlessness of rebellion, and we assure Mr. BROWN that no such view of the repellion is entertained by the people of this country. In the midst of all the "liberal" gushing and "joining hands across the bloody chasm," the people have not forgotten what the war was fought for, nor will they intrust the Government to any party which has forgotten or ignored it.

A considerable portion of Mr. BROWN's letter is devoted to reconciling the free-traders, with whom he has hitherto been prominently connected, and who are outraged by the nomination of Mr. GREELEY, and by the shuffling treatment their favorite idea received at Cincinnati. Mr. BROWN assures these gentlemen that the question of taxation can be much better treated in the Congressional districts than in a Presidential canvass, and that, in fact, to make free-trade a controlling issue in a Presidential election would be "only a disguised form of centralization, involving hazardous reaches of Executive influence." We do not believe this will appease much of the wrath of free-traders. It is too novel a theory on the lips of Mr. BROWN. Only four months ago he demanded a bolting nomination for the Presidency, because the country needed "a genuine reform of the tariff" in the direction of free-trade. What he proclaimed as a necessity in January will hardly be accepted, on his statement, as "only a disguised form of centralization" in May.

The letters of Messrs. GREELEY and BROWN are alike in several important respects. Both reveal the total want of foundation in reason for the bolt from the Republican Party. Both magnify the pretensions of their faction, which have already become the deeds of the Republican Party. Both ignore or evade the only sincere motives that led to the Cincinnati movement. Both show their authors to be guilty of the worst of those evils they pretend to oppose—the evil of public men treating the interests of the people hypocritically or frivolously to secure their own personal advancement.

Getting Down to Facts.

When Mr. GREELEY had been nominated at Cincinnati, there was immediately set up a chorus of assertion that he was acceptable to, and even beloved by, the masses of the Democratic Party throughout the country. This was kept up until the Rochester Convention met, and great use was made of it to secure in that Convention the indorsement which finally was obtained. Since that time, with every new opportunity to get at the truth, the essential falsity of the cry has been becoming more and more apparent. It was stoutly contested even at Rochester. From the moment of adjournment of the Rochester Convention the number of prominent men and papers who repudiate Mr. GREELEY has been increasing, until, when the Democratic Convention of Pennsylvania met, last week, it was found impossible to get even a negative or qualified approval of either the ticket or the platform produced at Cincinnati. The *Tribune*, we perceive, declares that the indorsement, which can nowhere be detected in any utterance of the Convention, was made in the speech of the candidate, Mr. BUCKALEW. We assure the *Tribune* it is mistaken. Mr. BUCKALEW said nothing—not one word—that could be so construed, even by the most violent wrenching. All that he did say, having any bearing on the subject, was this:

"Now, in view of the general disposition to have reform introduced into our State and into our National Government, we are entitled, when we set up candidates, around whom public confidence can gather, we are entitled to appeal to men of all parties and shades of opinion, *to go with us*, and to establish a new departure which shall be one of purity, energy, faithfulness, integrity and justice in Government."

It will be perceived that all that Mr. BUCKALEW ventured to do was to invite Republicans to "go with" the Democrats. We have never known a time, since Democracy existed, when that kind of a bargain was not open to its political opponents, and we are willing to concede that if Mr. GREELEY himself wants to work openly or secretly for the Democratic ticket, his aid will not be refused. But of any intention on the part of Mr. BUCKALEW or the Pennsylvania Democrats to work or vote for him, there is no sign.

What, then, was the motive for the misrepresentation of Democratic sentiment made by Democrats, and now so completely exploded? It was simply to make feasible the carrying out of the Tammany-Hutching's bargain, according to which the Greeley faction were to be paid for their services to Tammany in the New-York Legislature, and in the *Tribune* by a Democratic indorsement from the New-York Convention. To induce Mr. GREELEY's friends to perform their part in the rather disreputable business, it was represented to them that an indorsement by New-York, made immediately after the Cincinnati Convention, would be followed by all succeeding Democratic conventions, and would secure his success at Baltimore. In view of this easy triumph, as they regarded it, the Greeley men did their utmost for the Tammany leaders. How much their best amounted to, the betrayed and outraged people of this City only too well know. It is now probable that the Tammany men promised what they cannot perform, and the Greeley men experience the exquisite mortification of having performed their part of a nefarious political bargain, with a very doubtful prospect of getting their pay. We will not say that Mr. GREELEY will not be indorsed at Baltimore, for there is no telling how far Democratic discipline will prevail over Democratic prejudices, but at the present writing the Tammany men enjoy all the tangible results of the coalition, and the Greeley men are reaping only the disgrace of it.

The Mercantile Library.

There seems to be something radically wrong about the management of our Mercantile Library. With a splendid income, probably far exceeding that of any literary institution in the whole country, it lags far behind institutions which in point of resources bear no comparison with it, so far at least as the reading-room department is concerned. It would really be difficult to conceive anything much worse managed than this room, and those who are familiar with the superb arrangements at the sister institution in Philadelphia, and the excellence displayed at Brooklyn, St. Louis, and various other places, are naturally astonished that in this City, where we certainly are not wont to be behind our neighbors, year after year should pass and find our principal public literary institution in so second-rate a plight.

Although with their limited space, it would of course be impossible for the authorities of our Mercantile Library to afford such superior accommodation as that at Philadelphia, they might surely make the most of what they have. No one can accuse them of doing so now. Some months ago we briefly adverted to the dingy and ill-appointed condition of the one reading-room. The chairs and stools are ricketty, and the desks are guiltless of inkstands or any accommodation for writing; the condition of the works of reference remains as disgraceful as it was six months since. Try and find volume 20, say, of the *Biographie Universelle*, and after half an hour's search you will be as likely as not to find it keeping company with a Biblical dictionary, whose brother in turn has wandered away into the division supposed to be devoted to Encyclopedias, but which in fact comprises a heap of miscellaneous literature of reference, heaped together in the wildest confusion.

The young ladies who minister, or rather who are supposed to minister, to minds desirous of obtaining information, do not appear to consider that the putting of books in their places is any part of their business; and we know of instances in which members, unable to procure a volume which ought at once to have been at hand, have had to abandon the search as hopeless and adjourn to the Astor Library, where, whatever the shortcomings, owing to the very limited revenues which, unfortunately, are at the disposal of the trustees, there is certainly no want of order, method, and regularity.

This apparent indifference about the reading-room at the Mercantile is the more extraordinary when it is contrasted with the excellence of the arrangements in the book department. It would be difficult to find any system more perfect than that, so far as regards the power the employes possess of readily putting their hands upon the volume required out of the immense collection surrounding them; nor can the most exacting complain that the courteous librarian is not ready and willing to assist them toward obtaining as promptly as possible the works they desire. We can only suppose, therefore, that the gentleman who controls the book department has not the power of exercising the same supervision over the reading-room.

It might have been supposed, in view of the agitation about Sunday opening, that efforts would have been made to render the reading-room as attractive as possible, and we hope that before the Winter sets in some steps will be taken in this direction. There are hundreds of young men here who may be tempted to spend an evening improving their minds in a literary institution, provided they find it comfortable, but who very naturally are not inclined to resort to an apartment that is frequently ill-ventilated and lighted, and where no chair is comfortable, and no desk convenient. As for the pleasant chess, conversation and writing-rooms, &c., which may be found at similar institutions elsewhere, it would, when we contemplate the existing state of things, be quite too much to hope for such conveniences; yet it does seem hard that, with an income of, we believe, some $70,000, and a subscription as large as any, comforts to be found elsewhere should not be found in New-York. We imagine that the condition of which we complain must arise from the same cause which often occasions the bad management of a club—the fact that its committee is composed of those who seldom use it. Whatever be the cause of the supineness, it should be removed.

Solitary Confinement.

The International Convention in London, on the 3d of July, will be an exceedingly interesting assemblage. Its object—that of considering the best means of preventing and repressing crime—is one the importance of which needs no comment. That the men who are to compose this body will be faithful and earnest in the execution of their trust, there can be no manner of doubt; and it is equally certain that they will bring to bear upon the subject an amount of thought and knowledge which will render their deliberations of incalculable value to the interests of civilization and humanity. Among the prominent points of discussion will undoubtedly be the relative merits of the "silent" and the "separate," or as they are perhaps more familiarly known, the "Auburn" and the "Pennsylvania" systems of prison discipline. The former of these is, as is well known, is that which prevails in this State. We propose in this article to speak of the latter.

The Pennsylvania system, like the other, was designed as a remedy for certain fearful evils which prevailed in prisons. It was formerly the uniform custom to huddle together, in large apartments, convicts of all ages and of every different shade of immorality. Except the separation of the sexes, there was little attempt at classification of any kind. The old and practiced villain was associated with the youth who, perhaps, had been led, by sudden impulse or artful associates, into the offense that sent him there. A prison, therefore, was a horribly instructive school of crime, and a most efficient stimulant of the very evils it was designed to repress.

The Pennsylvania system is not, in the strictest sense of the words, one of solitary confinement. The prisoner sees frequently the chaplain, the officers of the prison, the physician when necessary, and sometimes visitors. But all these together would not, in most cases, occupy an average of over a few minutes a day. The rest of his time is spent alone. And it is this being alone that constitutes the peculiar severity of his punishment. In other respects, he is quite as well off as a convict in our New-York State prisons, and in some things a good deal better off. His work is no harder, and commonly not so hard. His rations are about the same, and his cell is a great deal larger, and in every way more comfortable. The fact that the convict is alone, renders the restraint or prevention of refractory conduct by mild and forbearing treatment far more practicable. But, notwithstanding all these advantages to the prisoner, the punishment is generally regarded as a much harder one than that of the "silent system;" and the correctness of this view is shown in a very practical and conclusive manner by the comparative shortness of the sentences. Two years in the Pennsylvania penitentiaries is generally considered equal to five in our own. This is, we believe, about the difference made by the statutes and the Courts of the two States; and these laws and decisions are founded, not on mere theory, but are the results of experience as to the relative degrees of dread with which the two methods are looked upon by criminals.

The great severity of the "separate system" is one of the strong arguments urged against it. The punishment, it is contended, is a cruel one, and forbidden by the dictates of ordinary humanity. How far this objection is just is a point upon which we cannot undertake to express an opinion. That the suffering inflicted is very great there can be no doubt. But all punishment implies suffering. There is a heart-sickening amount of distress in the penitentiaries of our own State and we are not quite sure that, taking the greater length of the sentences into consideration, it is much less with a large number of prisoners than in the Pennsylvania penitentiaries. Ten years in the latter would, indeed, be a harder punishment than ten in the former. But the comparison is to be made, not between ten years in one and ten in the other, but between four in the Pennsylvania prisons and ten in ours; and this difference in time would certainly be a most material consideration.

It is very strongly urged against the "separate system" that cases of insanity are more frequent under its operation than under the "silent system." On the other hand, this statement is disputed by the advocates of the "separate system;" but as far as we have been able to judge, they are not very successful in maintaining their ground. If there really is, in this respect, a difference unfavorable to the Pennsylvania system, it is most certainly an exceedingly serious argument against it.

There is one disadvantage in the "separate system," about which there can be no question. It is decidedly more expensive. The first cost of the buildings is at least three or four times as great, and the maintenance of the inmates far less economical. Besides this, the labor of the convicts pays much more poorly. We are speaking now on the supposition that things are honestly and judiciously managed in both cases. How they would compare with each other if one were conducted in this way and the other not, depends, of course, upon circumstances.

A very important point in reference to this subject, and one applicable not only to prison discipline, but many other things, is the consideration that a great deal less depends on systems, and a great deal more on the manner in which systems are carried out, than most people think. We hope, therefore, that whatever view the Convention of which we have spoken may take of the relative merits of the "separate" and the "silent" forms of management, they will make a decided and earnest appeal in reference to the appointment of suitable men to have charge of the convicts. After the experience of many years, and very much thoughtful and earnest discussion, there is still an honest difference of opinion among well-informed and candid men as to which of the two systems is to be preferred. But there is not the slightest shade of any such difference in regard to the manner of carrying into operation whichever system is selected.

MINOR TOPICS.

Gov. HOFFMAN has appointed Mr. AMOS PILLSBURY, Superintendent of the Albany Penitentiary, Commissioner on the part of this State, to attend the International Congress for Prison reform, which meets in London on the 4th of July. The appointment is an excellent one. Mr. PILLSBURY is one of the most experienced and successful prison managers in the country. He has made the Penitentiary at Albany famous both for its profit to the county, and for its perfect and wholesome discipline. No one in our State could contribute more practical knowledge to the deliberations of the Congress.

The Springfield *Republican* is a supporter of Mr. GREELEY, but it does not take kindly to Mr. GREELEY's political godfather, Senator FENTON. On Saturday it very justly remarked:

"Senator FENTON is succeeding in making himself believe that he was the originator, projector and finisher of the Greeley movement. If he succeeds in making the public believe the same, he will finish his work and Mr. GREELEY, too."

We do not know how it may be in Massachusetts, but in this vicinity and in Pennsylvania the work of "finishing" referred to is pretty well completed.

Learning that Hon. JOHN SANFIELD MACDONALD, Ex-Premier of Canada, was dead, the *World* yesterday proceeded to publish the biography of Sir JOHN ALEXANDER MACDONALD, the present Premier, with the announcement of his death. This will no doubt astonish Sir JOHN very much. The same paper also horrified its readers yesterday with an account of a mythical man-of-war being ordered out of the harbor because of the cholera on board. It is difficult to account for two such hoaxes, but the only explanation we can offer is that the *World* man was suffering from a nightmare, probably the effects of a late supper.

The Paris *Patrie* is responsible for a most extraordinary revelation in reference to socialism in the rural districts of France. According to this account, the property of a proprietor at Salsasc, in the District of Aude, was, last January, invaded by a large band of persons, who proceeded to appropriate it to their own use. Not the slightest heed was paid to the remonstrances of the owner when he ventured to put in a word for his rights, nor did his intercession with the Magistracy prove of any avail, inasmuch as the appropriators set the officers of the law at defiance. At length the military authorities were applied to, but they appear to have done no more than send a squadron of cavalry to the scene, in the expectation, no doubt, that its mere appearance would inspire a wholesome terror, but this hope proved delusive. The proprietor is afraid to go near his estate. It must be admitted that these proceedings quite take the shine out of Tipperary and Westmeath. The boldest of Mr. TRENCH's heroes, in his work on Irish life, never went quite so far as these socialistic gentlemen.

An important and progressive step was taken by Mr. BRISS lately in the House of Commons, in the introduction of a bill providing that no person shall be imprisoned for default in the payment of any debt due from him under an order or judgment of any Court, unless it can be proved to the Judge that the debt was contracted by means of fraudulent representations, or without reasonable expectations of being able to discharge it, or that the debtor has made a fraudulent transfer of property with intent to defraud his creditors. The bill also provides that no person shall be imprisoned for a longer period than that to be named in the bill, nor more than once for the same debt. There can be no doubt that imprisonment for debt is repugnant to the sense of modern civilization, and that every step toward its final abolition is a step in the direction of enlightenment and true humanity. Mr. STILLWELL's bill, introduced into our own Legislature during the last session, which simply abolished all imprisonment for debt throughout the State, was perhaps too sweeping a reform, and guarded too little against the possibilities of fraud. Yet, on the other hand there can be little doubt that our present laws are somewhat severe and that Ludlow-street Jail, open to made an instrument or oppression to unfortunate whose only crime is poverty.

The suggestion thrown out by us some time ago, that Germany would soon be wanting to secure outlying colonies, is now confirmed by the publication of the report on the proposed establishment of the German Navy. That document ends by urging forth that the acquisition of some secure naval stations abroad is an "inevitable necessity," and urges immediate steps to that end. The need is more strenuously recommended because of the increase to the German naval power contemplated and advised by the report. A sum of thirty-five millions of thalers is asked for, to be placed at the disposition of the Admiralty, in addition to the eight millions of thalers already voted; and a still further outlay is talked of as required to perfect desirable improvements. It is plain that, if German steam cruisers are to keep the sea, and to hold their own as against other maritime nations, Germany must secure coaling stations, and depots for supplies in the Atlantic and Pacific oceans; and from these it is hoped, no doubt, to build up colonial settlements and trade. If the German Navy does no more in future wars than the French Navy did in the last, the game may not be worth the candle. We suppose, however, that the experience of the latter is to be accounted a warning, and not a precedent.

Several ladies of Paris, distinguished, before the war as amateur vocalists, have come out in public, having been led to do so by the loss of fortune. The experiment is, in such cases, a peculiarly dangerous one, since the social influences exerted in favor of the debutante almost always lead her to rate her powers too highly, and her subsequent experience—for the social influences are rarely exerted save for the opening essays—is apt to be extremely bitter. Among others, Mme. CONNEAU has sung in concerts with fair results, Mme. DE PRESSENSÉ, as *Mme. Prelly*, has done well at the Opéra Comique, and Mme. FLORIANA-LAVAL has made recently come forward as the Théâtre Italien in the "Traviata." It is noticeable that, whatever society may do for these ladies, the Press is by no means too delicate in criticising them, some of the notices, indeed, being not only harsh, but studiously ironical. Clearly, rising genius is not everywhere greeted so cordially as in America.

The inmates of the Working Women's Home, in Elizabeth-street, are in great trouble owing to a necessity for their removal from their present residence, by reason of pending improvements. Very little time has been given for the purpose, and it is feared that the debt on the building will swallow up the proceeds of the sale. In this emergency aid is asked to insure the rent of a house for their use. As a breaking up of the institution will deprive nearly two hundred women of a respectable home, we trust they will prove successful in their endeavors.

ILLINOIS.

Feeling in the Centre of the State—Dissatisfaction of the Liberals—The Political Press.

From Our Own Correspondent.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Wednesday, May 29, 1872.

The "Liberal" movement in this State does not seem to prosper to any great extent. In fact, since the Cincinnati Convention failed to nominate an Illinois man for President, the Republican "Liberals" have no heart in the movement at all. Some of them try to present a bold front, simply because they have too much pride to come back and ask to be readmitted into the party which they tried to destroy. There is not one of them who is satisfied with himself for having allowed his overweening desire for political preferment to run away with his better judgment. The only object that any Republican of Illinois had in joining the Cincinnati movement was the hope of securing the nomination for his favorite, and thereby gain for himself prestige, to be used, in case his man should be elected, when the distribution of the loaves and fishes should take place. Selfish motives prompted them to go into the movement, and their selfishness was their ruin. Those "Liberal" gentlemen who have heretofore been highly respected by, and have had great influence in, the Republican Party in this State, and who have had honors heaped upon them by the party, thought that that respect and influence was personal; but they have found out to their sorrow that it was only respect for the principles which they then advocated; and that when they played the party false and became recreant to principle, they went forth single-handed and alone. Nobody followed them. The honest yeomanry of the banner State of Republicanism are still true as steel, and unflinching in the path of duty.

Only a few newspapers of Republican antecedents have signified their adhesion to the Greeley-Brown ticket, and the only one among them that ever had any influence is the Chicago *Tribune*. This journal shares the fate of the Republican politicians who have gone out of the party—it goes without followers. I am informed by a Chicago gentleman who has ample opportunity to know the facts, that the *Tribune* has lost nearly ten thousand subscribers since the 1st of April. Six weeks ago that paper printed a daily edition of more than twenty-eight thousand, and today they issue considerably less than twenty thousand. The Republicans are dropping it by hundreds every day. This is very good evidence that the people are steadfast and true, and will not be led astray.

A few Democratic papers—not more than four—have hoisted the Greeley-Brown flag. A few others indorse the Cincinnati ticket on the express condition that the Baltimore Convention ratifies that nomination. The great majority of the Democratic papers of the State, and the most influential ones, are outspoken in their denunciation of the new movement, and demand that the party shall place a real Democratic ticket in the field.

The dissensions and jealousies and dissatisfaction that exist among the "Liberals" present a marked contrast to the unanimity and determination of the true Republicans. They were never more united; they were never more enthusiastic; they were never more determined to go to work in earnest, and carry the day, than they are at this moment. A.

The Situation in Chicago—Bad Look-out for the Tammany Candidate.

From Our Own Correspondent.

CHICAGO, Thursday, May 30, 1872.

The political situation remains without material change. There is nothing "new under the sun" that I know of. Republicans who were at first inclined to go for Mr. GREELEY, are, on second thought, coming back to the old party, and avowing their determination to vote for GRANT. Apparently, by the time the Democratic Convention is held, the Cincinnati movement will be considered about on a par with the Labor Reform, the Prohibition, and the Anti-Secret Society nominations. It may not, possibly, become quite as inconsequent, but it is rapidly collapsing.

The Chicago *Times* increases in the vigor of its opposition to Mr. GREELEY, and in the remote contingency of his being adopted by the Democratic National Convention, it is not easy to see how it can support him. It will be a strange thing if it does. It takes the *Tribune* at its word—as the latter insisted that the Democrats should keep hands off the Cincinnati movement, as it was none of their funeral. It is pretty well understood that the *Tribune* is rapidly sinking in circulation, the straight Republicans abandoning it for the *Inter-Ocean*. It is not probably known that either Mayor MEDILL or Gov. BROSS, two of the principal stockholders, favor the Greeley movement, but, on the contrary, it is generally supposed that they do not.

NOTES OF TRAVEL.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21, 1872.

I cannot too strongly impress upon the minds of tourists the necessity of guarding with the utmost vigilance against taking a San Francisco Spring cold. It is, of all known occurrences, the most obstinate, persistent, unconquerable, implacable. "Paysicians are in vain"—all ointments powerless—mustard draughts and cephalic snuff, hot baths and old Bourbon, inoperative; it will run its course, fierce and furious, to the end, leaving you as suddenly, perhaps, as it came, and if it does not take you off with it, you find your self very little the worse for wear—the wear and tear of a cough which can only be compared with other monstrous California products. The air, at its harshest, is so pure and stimulating here that you keep your strength and spirits and appetite in the midst of quite serious indisposition. You feel that you ought to give up and go under, but somehow you don't. There is no languor in the atmosphere—it is veined with a wiry electricity, and in it you react and recuperate from any ordinary illness, with marvelous rapidity. But it is far better not to be ill at all, even here; and one could, I am convinced, escape colds by remembering that, however sunny and brilliant the day, at this season, the bitting north-west wind of the coast, if not prowling and howling through the streets, is like the enemy of the dog Diogenes, always waiting "round the corner." The only safe course is to make no change in one's dress, except it be to wear even warmer clothing than is needed in the mild, damp Winter. Flannel—good, genuine, honest flannel—must be constantly worn, and furs are occasionally needed. But for all its bitter winds, and spleen for, and blindness dust, San Francisco still looks pleasant and none like to me whenever I come back to the city, after a little absence. Beneath the shifting sands I feel the abiding rock; above the blaster, I see the steady sunshine. She is a little fickle in her favor, but firm in her friendship; she is tempestuous and narrow in her social prejudices and animosities, but genial and broad in her hospitalities.

I have just returned from what should have been a pleasure trip, but which was somewhat compulsory, on account of one of those fearful coughs I have attempted to describe, and which here would not depart from me. I went with a single, dear traveling companion first to the White Sulphur Springs, the most fashionable watering-place on the coast. Our route was by steamer to Vallejo, thence by rail to St. Helena, where we took stage for the Springs. The day was beautiful, almost as a matter of course, and the little voyage up the noble bay, altogether delightful. I never weary of looking at the ever-varying shores of this most picturesque piece of water and at the grand heights and soft curves of the coast range. Mounts Tamalpais and Diablo are kingly old fellows, and many of the hills are beautiful exceedingly, though now they have almost lost their lovely green tints and are fast assuming the dull, tawny hue which they wore when I first beheld them in October. These changes about San Francisco are marvelously indicated by BRET HARTE, in his exquisite legend "Concepcion de Arguello" in the May *Atlantic*. The longer I remain here, the more I see that no writer, no painter even, has ever given the local coloring of these California scenes, like BRET HARTE. This strange, familiar, new, old, monotonously restless Californian life must have absorbed, it it did not satisfy him. His genius was thoroughly immersed in it, even it it went down like an unwilling diver, and had little delight in the rough pearls it brought to the surface. The more I see of California scenery, life, and character, the more vividly I am impressed with Mr. HARTE'S power in reproducing them all, to the very life, and a little beyond. His genius is photographic in its truth and in its exaggeration. It may transcend the ordinary—it never outrages the possible. His pictures are, on the whole, boldly, ruggedly real; yet touched by tender, relenting ideal lights, which only a poet could see belonged there. I have seen two or three miners who might have walked out of his verse—so quaint and simple and sturdy and Bret Hartay were they. But most of this class have the swing and the slang and the swear, without the sentiment. They can bring out "That's so," and "You bet," and "Little cuss" very satisfactorily; but somehow they don't look like men likely to play Damon in a drift, or child's nurse in a Roaring Camp, or Santa Claus at Simpson's Bar.

But to return to our journey. From Vallejo the California Pacific passes up the smiling, waving, sunny, shadowy Napa Valley, one of the most beautiful and fruitful of the many happy valleys in this grand State. Napa City is a charmingly-situated town, neat and bright, and embowered in vines and roses. St. Helena is another exceedingly attractive place, and the drive from there to the Springs was most enjoyable. The White Sulphur Springs are in a cañon, deep and with thickly-wooded sides, but wide enough to allow of the free entrance of sunshine during a good part of the day. A clear, sparkling, musical stream runs through it, and ferns, mosses, shrubs and flowers, and vines abound. In fact, it is one of the very loveliest spots I have seen in California—a glorious place to rest in from the fatigue of overland travel, or the more intolerable weariness of a sea voyage, or from the social dissipation and dures stock-gambling excitements of the city.

I mean to tell the simple truth, in all good feeling, in regard to these places of resort—having some little sense of responsibility and of duty toward the traveling public. Prices at these springs are high, as at all places of the kind on the coast—unreasonably high for so fruitful a land and so bounteous a market, and considering the usually very indifferent accommodations and insufficient attendance—but at this particular place courteous attention is paid to the guests, the table is good, if not sumptuous, and neatness and good order are the rule. It is worth while to visit the place for the sake of the excellent society—you are very sure to meet there—and for the exquisite pictures you will carry away with you of the flowery cañon, and the wild but lovely grounds about the springs. I shall never forget a delicious horseback ride I took there one perfect afternoon, and I left my blessing on the sunny head of the dear boy who generously denied himself the pleasure of his usual gallop to lend his horse to me for a few bright, swift, enchanted hours.

Calistoga Hot Springs, some ten miles up the Napa Valley, has a very picturesque outlook, having old Mount St. Helena in full sight, but it is not in itself attractive. It has too little shelter from the sun, or privacy of any kind; is a dusty, noisy, all-out-doors sort of a place during the day, while mosquitoes of a peculiarly large and ferocious sort make night hideous. Yet the kindly hotel people seem to have done their best to protect their lodgers from these hosts of darkness by every ingenious contrivance. Over each bed is hung a mosquito-trap, like the shape of a small circular pink net, rather pretty to look at, which revolves continually, preserving us mosquitoes at every turn, till at last they are all snugly gathered in, and you can take refuge outside and sleep in peace.

The accommodations here are very unequal. There are some quite pretty and commodious cottages, and some miserable shanties, called by certain romantic misers, as "Laurel," and "Willow," but utterly forlorn and comfortless. Into one of the latter was your correspondent put with her indignant companion, with not even a rocking-chair to soften the rigors of their lot. But, luckily a friend, with a nice room to spare in her cottage, came to the rescue, and after that life at the Springs was more tolerable, even with a bad cold. We managed to worry through two or three days, just. We found the landlord a genial, kindly personage, and the landlord's wife a sweet, bonnie Scots-woman, and the landlord's wife's brother very agreeable, and obliging. I shall long pleasantly remember them. The waters here are doubtless very efficacious for various ills, and in the baths you have a wide choice. You can disport yourself in a great swimming basin, you can soak in brimwater, or be parboiled in steam, right out of a flame geyser, or simmer in the "medicated bath," or toast in the "sun-bath," or you can be plunged in warm, cool and up to the chin. In old times the Indian doctors used to set their rheumatic patients over night, and in the morning they would fry them out new men. This heroic treatment was subject to a slight drawback. Occasionally it was found that the patient had come in the night and eaten the patients' heads off.

I met some *habitués* at these springs who seemed attached to the place, and expressed serene commiseration for the White sulphurites, and I have no doubt but that it will improve, both in living and lodging, under the present management till it becomes an agreeable half-way-place, since halting-place there must be, on the great geyser route.

About five miles to the south-west of Calistoga, lies the "Petrified Foresta," so-called. The name, I am sorry to say, is calculated to mislead and delude the unsophisticated and confiding mind, as the "forest" which many picture to themselves as standing in stony grandeur, full-limbed and leafed, with petrified nests and cones, and birds' nets, with the birds on them, just as the petrifaction struck them, is found to consist merely of a few widely-scattered, half-buried stumps and sections of trees—not by any means a full assortment—curious things, certainly, and respectable on account of age, but hardly repaying one for the trouble and expense of seeking them. The grotto of this same mummified sort of timber, to be seen near the Calistoga Hotel, is quite as satisfactory, especially if one can grasp and hold the idea that it grew and stands where it was petrified.

When, after a charming drive, we arrived at the "Forest," we were commended to a guide, living on the land—which he has "taken up." A primitive and pensive solitary is he, a "gentle hermit of the dale," and known as "Petrified Charley." He converses hurriedly by the way on the mysteries of science and nature, especially on volcanoes, and gives you to understand that his theory in regard to the trees differs from those of MARSH and WHITNEY. He thinks they never "growed" where they lie, but were heaved up here from the "walley," in a "convulsion." That explains the "petrified grotto" down at the Springs. He glows with mild enthusiasm over his particular pet petrifactions—one monstrous trunk, a stump of ancient charcoal; another stump, in the heart of which is yet to be seen the almost unchanged fiber of the primeval redwood, are rare done petrifactions.

The most interesting of all his sights is a huge trunk, one of the unhappy Conifer family overtaken by that mysterious misfortune ages or ages ago—out of a cleft of which trunk has grown a stately young tree. It seemed almost as strange as it would be to one rambling in the vicinity of old Scotia, to come upon Lot's wife—tallest wife, with a live baby in her arms.

This miraculous tree bears strange fruit, in the shape of the following notice. You will observe the petrified character of the orthography:

"Visiters coung on the forest without the guide charder the same, when the guide is Present, visiters are quested not to break or carry away any of the Fiesful wod without the ouner's permission."

Early every morning, during the season of mountain travel, Foss and CONNOLLY'S six-horse stages, which by the way are open wagons, but as comfortable as they are safe, leave the hotel at the springs for the geysers over the hills some twenty-eight miles away. One of these wagons is always driven by the renowned Foss himself, but now, in the immense increase of travel, he has to divide himself, as it were, to give all a taste of his quality, taking his passengers only to the half-way station, where he meets the returning stages, one of which he drives back to Calistoga, making his grand entry at the hotel grounds a little after midday in thoroughly magnificent style. It would thrill your heart to see that entry as it has not been thrilled since first you saw in your old boyish days the throbbing canvas withdrawn, the wooden barrier removed, and the whole splendid troop of circus riders come dashing into the ring! Our visit to the geysers deserves and shall have a chapter to itself.

GRACE GREENWOOD.

A DISPUTE SETTLED.

How the Tribune Received the Times' Charges Against the Ring—Its Anxiety for a Lethal Suit.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

In a controversy today with a "Greeleyite" I made the assertion that the *Tribune* failed to accord to the TIMES during its warfare and exposure of the frauds of the Ring, any support until it became evident the charges were well founded, and even then its support was not hearty, but decidedly lukewarm.

I also asserted that the *Tribune*, in an editorial, styled them (the charges and assertions of the TIMES) as "grave charges;" hoped the TIMES had sufficient proof to warrant taking the step; making the charges, it said; asserted that the TIMES was liable for damages if its charges were untrue, and advised those accused to bring suit against it for damages.

I am confident of having read the substance of my assertions, but, of course, cannot tell where to find them. My disputant says I cannot show any such language in the *Tribune*, and supposing that you have a file at your office, and are necessarily better posted on such matters than I am, I would be obliged for information that will aid me in my search, and facilitate matters.

Your attention will greatly oblige yours truly,

H. E. ATWATER.

NEW-YORK, Saturday, June 1, 1872.

Our correspondent is quite right in his recollections. The *Tribune*, on Friday, July 21, 1871, used the following language in relation to the TIMES' charges of fraud against the Ring:

"It is tolerably well known that the *Tribune* believes in libel suits. We respectfully suggest to Messrs. OAKEY HALL and RICHARD CONNOLLY that this is a good time for one. Newspapers are not licensed defamers, and the man or group of men who libel on a matter of public concernment importance, and in a quarter sufficiently respectable, neglects to punish the libeler in the legal way, fails of his duty to society as well as to himself. Messrs. OAKEY HALL and RICHARD CONNOLLY cannot honorably neglect now to bring a libel suit against the New-York TIMES. * * * Now if such charges are true or false. If true, the thieves who thus prostitute great public trust should be prosecuted so rigorously and promptly that within a twelvemonth either Sing Sing should hold them or the contempt should not. If false, the journal that so grossly libels the chief officers of its City should be taught that slander so monstrous is a luxury too costly to be indulged in more than once in its life-time. * * * We have scrupulously refrained from the intemperate and indiscriminate style of attack in which the bar of late profusely indulged, because words thus used lose their force, and because we do not have proofs to warrant charges, which, nevertheless, we have often believed to be true. We have now no copies secretly obtained of Mr. CONNOLLY'S books. But the TIMES says it has, and on their authority it at last makes specific charges as damning that they ought to crush either you or it. We tell you, in all calmness and candor, that you cannot without infamy sit still under them. *Dare you to accept the challenge to a Court of law?*"

Not content with this warm defense of the accused, the *Tribune*, on the following day, July 22, 1871, insisted that, if the charges made by the TIMES were "justified by facts, Messrs. HALL and CONNOLLY ought now to be casting stone in a State Prison; and if it be the mere outpouring of partisan malice, its authors ought to suffer for it. We do not indorse it, neither do we discredit it. We are not in possession of facts that would warrant us in making such charges; if the TIMES is, it has done no more than its duty, and deserves the thanks of the community. Let us have the truth placed beyond dispute. The managers of the TIMES are known and responsible. If they have grossly defamed the Mayor and Controller, they should be proceeded against criminally and brought to trial forthwith. We await the action of Messrs. HALL and CONNOLLY with earnest solicitude."

On July 24 it again came to the rescue of the Ring in the following words:

"* * * Although no proof is adduced that this vast sum, [$6,623,555 23,] or any part of it, was stolen by two or by four of our chief municipal rulers, it is seen plain that money in large amounts has been paid out of the City Treasury for which no adequate consideration, if any at all, has been given."

Base-Ball Notes.

Today, Mutual vs. Mansfield, on Union Ground, and Baltimore vs. Troy, at Troy.

The Olympics, of Washington, are reported as having disbanded.

On Wednesday the Baltimore and Boston nines play their second game at Boston.

The six regular clubs stand in the following order in the championship struggle: Boston, Athletic, Mutuals, Baltimore, Troy and Cleveland.

SENATOR LOGAN AND THE PRESIDENT.

The First Effort of Mr. Sumner's "Blow for Revenge"—A Manly Protest from a Brave Soldier.

In the Senate, on Saturday, Senator LOGAN thus referred to Mr. SUMNER'S "essay" on the President:

I am not surprised at the exhibition of virtue made by Democratic Senators, or at their anxiety to adjourn now, after the Senate has listened to a deliberate, malignant and cruel attack, put forth in their interest, and the benefit of which they expect to receive. Well may the Senators on that side be satisfied with what has been done. Well may they say they desire to cease the public business and return home, now that this attack has been prepared and put forth for their benefit—better prepared, better delivered, and put before the country in better shape than either one of them, in my judgment, is capable of doing it. Your side of the case has been made, gentleman, and made by Senators claiming to be on this side of the Chamber. I came here this morning determined to defend, in my feeble way, an old soldier with whom I was in camp for years, but I saw that the pressure of public business was such that if I attempted to do so I would be accused of interfering with it, and making a called session necessary, and therefore I refrained; and now I say that if adjournment must take place on Monday, and if a called session is to result, it cannot be laid at the door of the friends of the Administration—it cannot be laid at the door of the true Republicans in this Chamber. It cannot be laid at the door of the men who are desirous of performing their duties here without wasting time in political discussions. But it can be laid at the door of the two Senators who, night after night, have been studiously preparing attacks upon the Administration, and upon one of the organized committees of this body. It is no harm, however, if the result be that a called session shall be brought about by their action. I presume they are responsible, at this time, to nobody, and hence no one is affected by it. They can take the responsibility, and I am willing that they shall take it.

A BRUTAL, VILE AND MALIGNANT ATTACK.

But, if the session should be extended, I will at the proper time, in my feeble way, attempt a defense against one of the most malignant assaults ever made against an honest man. The assault made here yesterday against the President of the United States—[applause in the galleries]—such an assault was fitted, not for the Senate Chamber, nor for the lower branch of Congress—it was fitted for no deliberative body on earth. It was fit only for the heathens, and it should be one uttered only from the lips of some cheap orator who knew not the use to be made of decorum of the Senate Chamber. An attack so brutal, so vile, so malignant should never have been made except after cool, calm preparation, and then only by a man calculated to make such an assault. I intend to defend the President of the United States against it. I may be forced to do it on the stump, but I assure you, Sir, that I will do it; and I will defend him, not because I indorse everything that has been done by this Administration, but because I believe that an attack of this kind is intended to destroy him with the people of this country, whose liberties have been saved by his own strong arm, which, in the van of the loyalists of the land, severed the chains of slavery and preserved the Union—a thing that all the silvery words uttered by the tongue of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. SUMNER,) never effected and never could effect.

SUMNER'S "GREAT" ACCURATELY DESCRIBED.

This attack has been made upon a man to whom the country is more indebted than any other. He has shortcomings, perhaps, like other men; but he is entitled to much. He is entitled to the gratitude of the people; he is entitled to be defended at their hands; he is entitled to be justified in all things that are right; he is entitled to be secure from aspersion, from vilification, from falsification, and from slander. Subdued applause in the galleries.] And I tell the Senator from Massachusetts, now, that he will find a response to that malignant speech in every crutch that aids a wounded soldier to wend his way through the world, in every wooden arm, in the grieved heart of every widowed mother mourning for her patriot son. In these, and in the hearts of all the loyal people of this country, he will find a response that will overwhelm him and all his oratory. All these will speak in thunder tones in defense of one of the most gallant soldiers that ever lived in any nation on the earth. [Loud applause in the galleries, which was with difficulty suppressed.] This is all I shall say now on this subject, because I did not intend to occupy much of the time of the Senate on this occasion; but let me say further to the Senator from Massachusetts that when he prepares a speech and delivers it here only twenty-four hours before the expiration of the Senate, if he is not afraid to have it answered, he ought to let it appear in the *Globe* the next morning. I looked in the *Globe* this morning for the Senator's speech in order that I might today reply to it, paragraph by paragraph, but it was not there.

Mr. SUMNER—The Senator knows that I am not responsible for that. My desire was to have it appear.

Mr. LOGAN—I am sorry that your desire was not accommodated. I am only stating the fact. The same is true of the Senator from Missouri (SCHURZ) last evening attacking the Arms Committee. It is not published this morning, so that the Committee have no record of it upon which they can reply. And now we are told that the needs of the country are such as to demand an adjournment at the earliest moment. Be it so. If the cause of these Senators is so weak today before the people that when they vomit forth their venom upon the head of as good a man as either of them, they cannot afford to give an opportunity for reply, be it so. The country will understand it.

SUMNER CANNOT DECEIVE THE PEOPLE.

The honest-hearted men, and women, and children of this land will read the purpose of those gentlemen as plainly as you and I read it. The people of this country have become too intelligent to be deceived by any man. It is an impossibility. They understand the whole programme. They know that the road out of the Philadelphia Convention is the road right into the arms of the Democratic Party, and they understand that a speech making an attack upon the man who is certain to be nominated at Philadelphia is a speech made in the interest of the Democratic Party. Everybody understands that. The course of these gentlemen reminds me of the war time. There were plenty of men who were very loyal, but they were opposed to the war. They were in favor of the Union, but were opposed to prosecuting the war to preserve it. So it is in this instance.

REVERSING THE RECORD OF A LIFE.

All the lifetime of the Senator from Massachusetts, all his learning, all his statesmanship, all his knowledge of international law, all his knowledge of national affairs, all his opposition to slavery, all his past work, he is now attempting to undo. From the high estate to which his past efforts had raised him the Senator fell yesterday. He attacked indirectly, if not directly, every fact of his life; indirectly, if not directly, he assailed the party which he says he made; indirectly, if not directly, he stabbed his own child. I know the Senator will not receive advice from me, and I know I am not capable of giving it; but, in conclusion, I will say this: He spoke, yesterday, of the life-boat of the nation; and I tell him today that the true life-boat of the nation is the Republican Party, which, freighted with the hopes of mankind, has passed in safety and triumph through one of the most terrible wars that ever was known since nations began. That is the true life-boat. Outside is all sea; inside is life; and, when you attack the pilot and sow dissension among the crew, this moment you do what the Democratic Party has never been able to do—you sink the old Republican ship.

Probably Fatal Affray.

During a fight between HENRY DUGAN, of No. 130 Seventh-avenue, and PATRICK MCCANN, of No. 404 West Twenty-sixth-street, in a house in Twentieth-street, near Sixth-avenue, about 5 o'clock yesterday evening, DUGAN threw a stone-jug at the head of MCCANN, fracturing the skull of the latter. McCANN, who was employed on the building, struck DUGAN on the back of the head with the trowel and had his skull fractured. He was removed in an unconscious condition to the Sixteenth Precinct Station-house, where Police Surgeon BEACH examined him, and, pronouncing the injuries fatal, ordered him to be removed to Bellevue Hospital, which was done. DUGAN was arrested and locked up in the Sixteenth Precinct Station-house.

AMUSEMENTS.

Musical and Dramatic.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND NOTES.

The announcements for this evening are to the following effect: At Wallack's Theatre a performance of "The Long Strike" will commence the Summer season. At BRYANT'S Opera-house, a recital of "The Bohemian Girl" will be the first of a series of English Opera entertainments. At the Union-square Theatre, MRS. OATES and the company under her direction will appear in "Fortunio," the well-known burletta by PLANCHE. At Wood's Museum Mr. JOHNNY THOMPSON will present a fresh drama called "Our Colored Brother." And at the Theatre Comique, "Chicago," referred to by the bills as a "dramatic, panoramic and diorama composition," will be brought out.... A delightful concert, whereof Herr FRANZ ABT was the director, and at which, of course, he was the observed of all observers, took place on Saturday evening, at the Arion Club-house, in St. Mark's-place. Miss PAULINE CANISSA sang, with great skill and charm, "Die Liebe ist's!" Schmetterling sets dich," and the soprano part in two compositions with choral accompaniment, and was honored with repeated recalls; Miss ANTONIA HENNE wrought the wonted effect produced by a very sympathetic voice and much sentiment in execution; Herr BONAWITZ played with faultless technique, but with less expressiveness than would have been wished. SCHUMANN'S "Schlummerlied," and CHOPIN'S scherzo in C minor. Herren GRAF and REMMERTZ sang, and Herr DAMROSCH interpreted, on an instrument of a not very rich tone, VIEUXTEMPS' "Reverie" and PAGANINI'S "Perpetuum Mobile." Choral work by the Arion chorus constituted the remainder of the programme. The two last quartets were not done faultlessly, in respect of either time or tune, but the other numbers, by the masses, were admirably rendered under the guidance of Dr. DAMROSCH, who is to be credited with the improved condition of the Arion's Mannerchor.... Among the passengers for Europe on Saturday, were Señor SARASATE, Signori ALDIRTE and Mme. GAZZANIGA.... Miss KATE SANTLEY will sail for Europe on Saturday next.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

A telegram to the London *Daily News*, dated May 31, supplies the details appended of the great musical festival at Bayreuth: "After three days' brilliant festivities, in which 200 male and female singers, 100 musicians and 1,000 guests have taken part, the foundation-stone of the Festal Theatre has been successfully laid, though the ceremonies were marred by a drenching rain, disarranging the original programme. The projected theatre will stand on an elevation overlooking the city, and distant from it fifteen minutes' walk. It was arranged that the singers, after the ceremony and Herr WAGNER'S address, should join in a chorus, but the rain interfered, and the festive proceedings had to take place in the Opera-house. Nevertheless, thousands assembled on the spot, and Herr WAGNER was enthusiastically greeted. The Opera-house was crowded. The stage was filled with singers and musicians. Herr WAGNER was enthusiastically received when he appeared, leading his wife and followed by their five children. When they had taken their seats the Burgomaster welcomed the guests, and cheers were given for the King of Bavaria and the Princess of Germany. Herr WAGNER then addressed the assembly upon the subject of the projected theatre, and expressed his confidence in its success. He referred at the presence of the singers, musicians and friends, who had assembled in a true German spirit, to the theatre they proposed to erect in his honor would, he hoped, be a gathering place for the best German talent, and a nursery of dramatic and musical art. As Herr WAGNER concluded his remarks he raised his hands with expressive energy, and a chorus was immediately after given by 500 persons with marvellous effect. Herr WAGNER, who appeared deeply moved, embraced his wife and children and the friends near him. In the afternoon there was a grand concert, at which BEETHOVEN'S Ninth Symphony was given. Herr WAGNER directed, and the vocalists were of the highest rank. The festivities were closed by a banquet, which Herr WAGNER attended. One hundred thousand thalers have been subscribed, but 200,000 are needed. The festivities are declared to be a great success by all present, and the future of the Festal Theatre is considered to be assured. The day being Herr WAGNER'S birthday, the composer received congratulations from all parts of Germany."

THE CIVIL SERVICE.

Preparing for the Examination of Applicants Under the Recently Promulgated Rules.

WASHINGTON, June 3.—The Board of Examiners for the several Departments are engaged in preparing for competitive examinations, according to the rules and regulations for the civil service recently promulgated. Under these regulations any citizen of the United States over eighteen years of age, who may furnish the required evidence as to health, moral character and fidelity to the Union and the Constitution, may make application for admission to the $1,200 class of clerkships, and if the application shows a reasonable capacity for clerical service, the name of the applicant is placed on what is called the eligible list. When a vacancy occurs, the eligible applicants are notified to appear for examination, unless there are more than can be examined at one time, in which case a practicable number is selected for examination.

In making up the eligible list and in selecting the practicable number, the boards are guided entirely by the merits of the application, without the slightest reference to other considerations. The names of the three candidates who have passed the best examination are certified for the vacancy, and from these names the head of the Department is required to make the appointment. When more than one vacancy is to be filled the three highest names are certified for the first vacancy, the two remaining after the appointment is made, and the fourth name are certified for the second vacancy, the remaining two and the fifth for the third vacancy, and so on for the whole number of vacancies. As several vacancies will usually be filled at once, especially in large Departments like the Treasury, the chances of competent persons for appointment in any examination are much better than they would be if only one place were to be filled. When any special qualification is required, such as knowledge of accounts, fine penmanship, or experience in mechanical computations, the candidates apparently best qualified in that particular are selected, and the examination is so conducted as to test the required qualification. The Board have resolved to make their examination as practical as possible, so as to test the capacity of the candidates for actual clerical service rather than their scholarly or theoretical attainments. No useless, abstract or catch questions will be asked. The practical worth of the candidates appointed is further tested by a probation of six months. If by the end of that time they have given sufficient proof of fitness they are permanently appointed, and can then compete for any vacancy open to competition in the office to which they belong, no matter how many grades above them it may be. As nearly all the positions in the Departments, except the heads of Departments and bureaus, are open to the competition of the clerks in the bureau, the chances of a competent man for promotion are much better than they were under the old system of promotion by seniority or for political considerations. A really superior man, instead of drudging away at $1,00 a month for the best part of his life, as he was likely to do under the old system, has now before him the opportunity of reaching the highest place in the office within a few years. The Boards of Examiners seem determined to faithfully carry out the President's wishes as embodied in the rules which he has approved. The Treasury Department has secured rooms in which fifty or sixty persons can be examined at one time, and the Board intends to summon that number whenever the number of vacancies and qualified applicants shall justify it. Some of the boards manifest a feeling of disappointment that the character of the applicants thus far received under the rules is not as good as they had hoped it would be. This may be due to ignorance of the system and to a want of confidence in the genuineness of the reform. But it is hoped that as the system is better understood and it becomes known that every applicant stands a fair chance on his merits, the quality of the applications will be improved. The Boards recognize the fact that the Departments look to them for competent clerks, and every meritorious application is, therefore, gladly accepted. Unemployed young and middle-aged men, reasonably well educated, of good habits and moral character, in sound health, and having a good business or clerical training, have now an excellent opportunity to secure permanent employment in the Departments. Full instructions for the guidance of those desiring to apply will be furnished on application to the heads of any of the Departments.

SUMNER AND STANTON.

Senator Sumner's Revelation of Machiavelian Plot—How He Puts Words Into the Mouths of Dead Men—His Statistical Story—The Slander Nailed.

From the Philadelphia Morning Bulletin, June 1.

Mr. SUMNER, in his attack on President GRANT, last evening, made the following assertion, in his account of an interview with Hon. EDWIN M. STANTON, a short time before his death:

"I followed by saying, 'But you took part in the Presidential election, and made a succession of speeches for him in Ohio and Pennsylvania.' I spoke,' said he, 'but I never mentioned the name of Gen. GRANT; I spoke for the Republican Party and the Republican cause.'"

THE FALSEHOOD EXPOSED.

Nobody ever accused Mr. STANTON of falsehood, and that he never told Mr. SUMNER anything of the kind that he quotes is fortunately proved by the record. Everybody in Philadelphia remembers Mr. STANTON'S great speech at the Academy of Music, just before President GRANT'S election, and the following extracts show the complete falsity of Mr. SUMNER'S testimony:

MR. STANTON'S SPEECH.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, FELLOW-CITIZENS OF PHILADELPHIA: This mighty concourse, the largest that my eyes ever beheld, is significant of two things: First, it is a judgment in favor of ULYSSES S. GRANT. * * * Upon the election next Tuesday, the 3d of November, I behold the rock of our national safety; and upon the triumph of the banner which is held in the hands of ULYSSES S. GRANT, I behold the victory of the principles of freedom and of just government, now, and in all time. * * * J. E. N.

WHY then, fellow-citizens, have you this night passed judgment in favor of ULYSSES S. GRANT and against HORATIO SEYMOUR? The first reason is from the persons who put them in nomination before the people, and who are now urging them forward as candidates for the Presidency of the United States. They met in New-York a short time ago, and who were they? They were red-handed rebels, prisoners of war who had plotted against the life of the nation. These are the men who put in nomination HORATIO SEYMOUR. Who put in nomination ULYSSES S. GRANT? The great Republican Party that bore this nation triumphantly through the war, under the Divine blessing, amid the trials and dangers and all the vicissitudes of the great war that we have just passed through. He was nominated by the great Republican Party. The first reason, then, why they should prefer GRANT, on next Tuesday, to SEYMOUR, is to be found in the organization and persons who placed them in nomination, and in those whom they represent. GRANT represents the loyal heart of America; SEYMOUR is a traveling Agent of WADE HAMPTON and FORREST.

Another reason for your judgment is to be found in the merits of the persons themselves. In GRANT we ben old the leader of our armies in the path of victory. In SEYMOUR behold the great General, who, under Divine Providence, led our armies, supported as they were by some of those who are here before you to-night. The same gallant General, who, assisted by your present Governor, JOHN W. GEARY, and aided by your late Governor, ANDREW G. CURTIN, here at home, in the Executive council and State Administration, led your onward from the Mississippi to the Potomac eastward, until no rebel flag poisoned the gale on this Continent.

These, then, are reasons which fully justify the choice which you will make next Tuesday; but these reasons are denied by others, and briefly in this issue, the representative of FORREST and of HAMPTON, who has recently been traversing this continent for one thousand miles, giving reasons why GRANT should not be elected, and why the banner of the Union, dishonored and inglorious, should be entrusted to his hands. * * * * * * *

The mistakes mentioned are, SEYMOUR says, "the mistakes of the Republican Party." What, then, has Gen. GRANT got to do with them? [Cheers for GRANT.] While Congress may have made mistakes, if you please, without number—day by day made mistakes—what was before the enemy? Was it face fighting him; or was he taking no surrender, except that it was "Unconditional!" No terms left his lips but "Unconditional surrender" of the enemy of his country. * * * * * * *

Upon the 4th day of July, 1863, notwithstanding the conduct of HORATIO SEYMOUR, and of our country's glory burst forth in splendor through the dark cloud of rebellion that had for some years overshadowed it, and the baleful exhalations of treason were scattered. Do your duty next Tuesday, and the sun of our political glory will shine as brightly and with as great a lustre as it shone on the day of the 4th of July at Vicksburg and at Gettysburg. *Vote against Grant, and the darkness and gloom that will settle over this country like the pall of midnight will settle deeper and deeper over the land, over its prosperity, over the elements of national power over all the elements of national strength, and the greatest calamity that ever befel a people will happen. May Divine Providence avert that catastrophe!*

STILL MORE TESTIMONY.

On the same night, Mr. STANTON was serenaded at the Union League, and spoke as follows:

"FELLOW-CITIZENS: Gen. GRANT never looked upon an army of the enemy of his country but to conquer it. He never sat down before a rebel stronghold to besiege it, but it fell before him. *The same arm that supported him at the head of his army, and the gallant troops that followed him, will continue to uphold and support him, because he represents the great American heart*, and the triumphs that have been won by the loyal armies will be more than repaid, thrice repaid, by the glorious victory of next Tuesday."

It is a fortunate thing that the dead Secretary has left it out of the power of the living Senator to belie him.

THE PUBLIC CHEESE.

In the same speech, Mr. STANTON described SEYMOUR in words that become prophetic in their application to SUMNER, when he said:

"His path, then, has been a path of accusation; it has been a path of fault-finding; it has been a path of the rat, gnawing to get a nibble at the public cheese, and nothing else."

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

The Tariff and Tax Bill.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

We beg to call your attention to a blunder, as we consider it, in the last clause of section 2 of the Tariff and Tax bill, which we are notified by the appraisers here will, as interpreted by them, advance the duty on all sizes umbrellas from fifty per cent, as now, to at least 120 per cent. The present duty on alpaca cloths is fifty per cent. per pound weight, and thirty-five per cent. ad valorem. The appraisers propose to weigh all umbrellas, sticks, frames, handles and covers, and thus practically advance the duty to 120 per cent. We have been led to hope for a reduction of duties, not such a *fearful advance*. We beg you to call the attention of our Representatives to this startling error. We are over-protected now, and as manufacturers and importers of twenty years' standing, can testify that the high duty fills our market with smuggled goods and discourages the honest importer and manufacturer.

Yours respectfully,

ISAAC SMITH'S SON & CO.

No. 405 BROADWAY, New-York, May 30.

Old Time Republicans.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

In addition to what you said on Thursday last about "Old-time Republicans," it may be stated that some of the more prominent of the original anti slavery men are actively supporting Gen. GRANT.

I notice among the list of delegates to the National Republican Convention the names of GERRIT SMITH, of this State, and JAMES BIRNEY, of Michigan.

No man in the United States has been more zealous in behalf of the black man than GERRIT SMITH.

Mr. BIRNEY is the eldest son of JAMES G. BIRNEY, has held the posts of State Senator, Circuit Judge, and Lieutenant-Governor of Michigan, and is well known throughout the West. Both these gentlemen have had large experience as presiding officers. Perhaps there are few among the delegates who have been more accustomed to parliamentary rules and the usages of such Conventions. O.

Great Progress of the "Greeley Cause."

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

What the motive, or rather "spirit," may have been which prompted the golden-haired TILTON to select Jefferson County as a spot fit to inaugurate a Greeley campaign, we do not comprehend. Certainly the record of that grand old county held out few inducements to one bent upon such a mission. The people who had the intelligence and sturdy good sense to so unanimously agree to the placing of the hero of Appomattox in the Presidential chair, could scarcely be expected to transfer a faith, never once disappointed, to a man whose character, as far as consistency and candor were concerned, was fittingly personated by VICTORIA C. WOODHULL'S valiant champion! Notwithstanding, at Watertown, Jefferson County, Friday evening last, THEODORE TILTON addressed a so-called Greeley meeting—whether or not the term thus applied does not smack of satire I leave you to judge from what follows: Hon. BENAN BROCKWAY presided, and rather ungraciously too, we suspect, since he, conjointly with two other gentlemen, is proprietor of the Daily *Times* of the city, the other gentlemen being staunch Republicans, while he is sadly tinctured with Fenton and Greeleyism, undoubtedly to be accounted for by his personal relations with these men. Of course the Greeley interest is left in the lurch, from Mr. BROCKWAY'S being in the minority. We quote sparingly from the spicy report which the *Times* gives of the meeting. It says: "There were not over fifty people in the audience who belonged to the Greeley 'Liberals.' In the course of TILTON'S speech, which was devoted mainly to defaming the President, he received several avalanches of hisses. Then followed an exhortation perfectly in keeping with the entire effort, and equally as logical. The *Times* further says: "As an expression of sentiment for GREELEY, the meeting was a failure." Monday evening, May 27, TILTON addressed a similar meeting at Ogdensburg, N. Y. We notice by a report of the meeting in the *Journal*, of that city, that the speaker was not a whit less frank or consistent than at Watertown, and in spite of the persuasive oratorical and gushing style of the orator, when, at the close, three cheers were proposed for "Horace," the response was such as to show the utter impotency of the tactics employed. Personal acquaintance with, and close scrutiny of public opinion, in Northern New-York, has convinced us that, however favorably the Cincinnati movement might at first have been considered by a few respectable Republicans, its abortive issue, together with the conduct of GREELEY and the "high moral and political character" of his supporters, has had the effect of bringing them to their senses. The fact that over the entire north area of the State (as well as elsewhere) life-long disciples of GREELEY and the *Tribune* have unquestionably forsworn both augurs that next November will roll up for Gen. GRANT a majority simply marvelous.

J. R. N.

OSWEGO, N. Y., Thursday, May 30.

REPUBLICAN FRANCE.

M. Rouher in the Assembly—The Bonapartist Reply to Duke D'Audiffret-Pasquier—Stormy Scenes.

The correspondent of the London *Times*, telegraphing from Paris, transmits to that journal the subjoined summary of M. ROUHER'S acts in the Chamber: "On May 21," runs the account, "an unusually large number of persons crowded to the Assembly, and before the sitting a discussion had begun as to the result of the interpellation of M. ROUHER. The interior of the Chamber presented a curious scene. More than 300 persons who had obtained tickets were unable to reach the places assigned to them. At 2¾ o'clock M. ROUHER ascended the tribune. There was the utmost silence and the speaker was evidently much affected. After he had said a few words, two or three Deputies cheered him, when cries of 'Silence!' were heard from all parts of the Chamber. It was evident that a calm and impassable attitude was the watchword. M. ROUHER defended the Bureaux of War, and now and then when he stopped after an eloquent passage in his address to give the Chamber an opportunity of expressing its opinion, the words, 'Hush,

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

In the way of public sales of City real estate during the past week, the market has been exceedingly dull, none of importance having been held at the Exchange, and the total value of such property sold at auction there for the week ending with Saturday, June 1, amounts to but $61,775. The figures for the previous week, ending with Saturday, May 25, when the volume of business transacted was large, was $719,540. In the sale of property at private contract, however, an unusual degree of activity has prevailed, and the sales reported from day to day have been large and of special interest. Business for the week in this respect closes strong, with good prospects for increased inquiry during the present month. Another encouraging feature of the market last week was the marked success attending the suburban auctions held—nearly all of which proposed were carried through with the most satisfactory results. The sales consummated were as follows: Monday, May 27, 309 lots and two houses at Oakland, N. J., sold by A. D. MELLICK, Jr., & BRO., for $25,975; Tuesday, May 28, 200 lots at College Point, Long Island, sold by JAMES M. MILLER for $24,380, and fifteen lots at Morrisania, same county, sold by E. H. LUDLOW for $11,900, thus making the total for that week $147,177. The only other matter of note occurring during the past week was a sale under a Court order, at Brooklyn on Wednesday, May 29, by J. COLE, of Flatbush lots belonging to the estate of THOMAS MURPHY, deceased, to the value of about $25,000, when the further sale was adjourned to June 12. For the present week the business proposed is of interest as will be seen by a reference to the list of auctions appended.

SALES FOR THE PRESENT WEEK.

For this week the following auctions are announced, at which the real estate briefly described, will be offered by the auctioneer's named:

Today, Monday, June 3.

By MULLER, WILKINS & Co., at the Exchange, at public auction. City real estate as follows: Two first-class five-story brown-stone front tenement houses and lots, situate on the south side of Leroy-street, 362.9 feet east of Hudson street, known as Nos. 66 and 68. The lots have a front on the street of 40 feet, the rears being very long. The brick-stone-front English basement brick house (first story brown stone) and lot, situate on the north side of East Thirty-ninth-street, between Third and Lexington avenues, known as No. 141, lot 17.1 by 98.9, together with the two three-story brick and stone-front houses and lots, Nos. 329 and No. 331 West Twenty-eighth-street, adjoining above; lots each 21.4 by 98.9; houses each 25 feet deep. Also, by order of the Court of Common Pleas under the direction of FRANCIS BYRNE, Esq., referee, a house and lot on the south side of West Twenty-seventh-street, 440 feet west of Sixth-avenue; lot 20 by 98.9. Also, at a trustee's sale, the following property: Three four-story brick basement-houses (with stores) and lots, situate on the west side of Second-avenue, between One Hundred and Sixth-seventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth-streets, known as Nos. 2,311, 2,313 and 2,315, lots full size, buildings each 25 feet deep; also two four-story English basement brown-stone and brick houses and lots, known as Nos. 220 and 222 East One Hundred and Seventeenth-street, south side, 375 feet east of Second-avenue; lots each 38 by 100.11; thence each 50 feet in depth.

By J. ELBERT SMITH, at 300 Canal-st., also at a Supreme Court foreclosure sale, Reuben H. Walworth, Esq., referee, the property known as No. 64 Ridge-street, east side, 111.5 feet north of Rivington-street, embracing an irregular-shaped lot 22.9 feet front by 100 feet in depth, (rear line 42.4 feet,) with a brick building thereon.

By JERE. JOHNSON, Jr., at the Exchange, at public auction, in extensive lots of very choice and valuable Brooklyn property, as listed in all on fifteen three-story brick houses, by Decatur-street Boulevard, New-York and Nostrand avenues and Butler-street, containing seventy lots; also, on New-York-avenue, Kingston-avenue, Albany-avenue and Troy-avenue, the entire front, eleven lots; Butler-street, south side, 100 feet east of New-York-avenue, ten lots; Douglass-street Boulevard, north side, 100 feet east of New-York-avenue, ten lots; Bainbridge-street, south side, 200 feet east of Brooklyn avenue, five lots; Bainbridge-street, north side, in rear of above, five lots; St. Mark's-place, south side, 50 feet west of Kingston-avenue, one lot; Warren-street, north side, in rear of above, one lot; Kingston-avenue, north-east corner of Butler-street, five lots; Kingston-avenue, east side, entire from between Butler and Warren streets, twelve lots; Kingston-avenue, east side, entire front between Warren-street and St. Mark's-place, twelve lots; Pacific-street, south side, 100 feet east of New-York-avenue, one lot. The above is one of the most important sales of Brooklyn real estate proposed for months, and should attract attention.

By MULLER, WILKINS & Co., at the Exchange, at an extensive sale, by order of C. MINOR and D. R. JAQUES, executors, the large and desirable mansion, with seven acres of land, situate at Rye, Westchester County, late the residence of Hon. ALEXANDER W. BRADFORD, deceased, together with the stable, carriage-house and all necessary out-buildings, the whole constituting a first-class country residence, and known as Bradford. Also, thirteen villa plots, containing from two to five acres each. The above-described property is located in the most beautiful portion of southern Westchester. It is in the immediate vicinity of first-class improvements, and conveniently to schools, churches and stores; is of easy access, being only twenty-two miles from New-York, with sixteen trains each way daily. The land is high and has commanding views of Long Island Sound and the adjoining country. The celebrated Rye Beach, distant three-quarters of a mile, affords fine sea-bathing.

Sixty per cent can remain on bond and mortgage.

Maps at office of auctioneers, or of R. S. Jaques, attorney for executors, No. 25 Chambers-st.

By WM. H. RAYNOR, No. 5½ Pine-street, one lot on the south-east corner of Fifth-avenue and Eighty-fifth-street, 27.3 by 100, sold for $65,000, and two lots, each 25 by 100, on the east side of Fifth-avenue, 80 feet north of Eighty-ninth-street, sold for $40,000 each.

By JOHN MCCLAVE, No. 44 Pine-street, two lots on the north side of One Hundred and Eighteenth-street, and two lots on the south side of One Hundred and Nineteenth-street, rears adjoining 100 feet west of Fifth-avenue, sold together for $14,000.

By O. G. BENNET, No. 9 Pine-street, First Avenue, N. Y., Corner of Eleventh-street, house and lot sold to EDWARD RAFFEN for $30,000, $27,500. Also the plot of land in Brooklyn commencing 595 feet South from the South-easterly corner of Hamilton-avenue and Gowanus Canal, being 200 feet front on the canal, and running back 604 feet to Third Avenue, comprising about 40 full lots sold to Mr. LAWTON for $175,000, also two lots on Gowanus Canal, in Gravesend, Long Island, comprising about eleven acres of level land with dwelling, sold to Mr. Jas. S. SPINNER for $8,000.

Recorded Real Estate Transfers.

NEW-YORK.

Friday, May 31

Allen-st., e. s., 124.6 ft. n. of Broome-st., 24.9x87.6 ..... $31,500
Canal-st., n. s., No. 401, mortgaged $4,750 8,125
Canal-st., n. s., No. 429, mortgaged $5,000 10,000
Chambers-st., s. s., 50 ft. w. of Church-st., 25x100 147,000
Clinton-st., e. s., 150 ft. s. of Stanton-st., 50x100 77,000
Delancey-st., s. s., 112.6 ft. e. of Columbia-st., 18.9 x87 8,000
Delancey-st., n. s., 60 ft. e. of Sheriff-st., 20x9, h. and l. 12,880
Delancey-st., s. s., 25 ft. e. of Essex-st., 20x91 40,000
Delancey-st., n. s., 40 ft. e. of Essex-st., 20x91 40,000
Greene-st., e. s., 225.10 ft. n. of Houston-st., 25x100 30,000
Hudson-st., w. s., No. 222, 12.6x50, irregular 10,800
Hudson-st., w. s., No. 222, 17.7x45.6, irregular 20,000
Hudson-st., w. s., No. 226, 19.6x50 10,000
Orchard-st., e. s., 225 ft. n. of Delancey-st., 25x87.6 15,500
6th-st., s. s., 278.11 ft. w. of Avenue C, 21.11.7, h. and l. 12,000
16th-st., s. s., 250 ft. e. of 9th-av., 25x92.5 5,900
21st-st., s. s., 100 ft. e. of 10th-av., 24.7x75 10,450
41st-st., n. s., 350 ft. e. of 10th-av., husband to wife 10,300
42d-st., s. s., 350 ft. e. of 2d-av., 32.4x100.5, h. and l. 30,000
46th-st., s. s., 200 ft. e. of 11th-av., 60x100.5; 47th-st., s. s., 275 ft. w. of 11th-av., 25x100.5 18,000
46th-st., s. s., 250 ft. e. of 7th-av., 18x100.4 20,500
50th-st., s. s., 120 ft. w. of Madison-av., 80x103.2 35,000
51st-st., n. s., 175 ft. e. of 8th-av., 81.10x98.9 27,000
114th-st., n. s., 95 ft. e. of 1st-av., 40x100.11 13,840
117th-st., n. s., 256.6 ft. w. of 2d-av., 19x100.11, mortgaged $9,000 600
122d-st., n. s., 225 ft. e. of 4th-av., 25x99.11, husband to wife, mortgaged $7,500 ..... Nom.
127th-st., s. s., 18 ft. e. of 8th-av., 22x74.10, mortgaged $6,000 13,000
127th-st., s. s., 100 ft. e. of 8th-av., 25x74.11 1,700
140th-st., s. s., 125 ft. e. of 10th-av., 125x99.11 7,750
168th-st., n. s., 300 ft. w. of 10th-av., 50x99.11 6,000
169th-st., s. s., 250 ft. w. of 9th-av., 25x100 6,500
Avenue B, w. s., 20 ft. s. of 74th-st., 20x100, h. and l. 500
Madison-av. and 47th-st., n. w. corner, 100.8x98.8 116,000
Madison-av. and 86th-st., s. w. corner, 42.4x70 40,000
2d-av., e. s., 40.1 ft. n. of 86th-st., 20.10x75 15,750
4th-av., w. s., 75 ft. s. of 66th-st., 25x100 1,900
8th-av., e. s., 22.2 ft. s. of 59th-st., 22x100 40,000
9th-av. and 46th-st., n. e. corner, 25.8x100 62,000
Dyckman Homestead, part lot No. 120 18,100

CITY REAL ESTATE.

BOULEVARD
AND
LOTS FOR SALE,
AT
ST. GEORGE'S MANSION,
No. 112 Broadway.

A—TWO DESIRABLE LOTS ON 21st-st. for sale at a bargain if purchased immediately. Others in 46th, 70th, 86d, 123d, 142d, 163d and 164th-sts.
Up-town lots wanted by
J. W. WOODWARD,
No. 735 6th-av.

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE—THE valuable livery stable, lately owned by Thomas Norris, deceased, Nos. 118 and 120 Clinton-place: lot 40x98, house 40x50. Will be sold on liberal terms, or leased for a term of years. Apply to HUGH N. CAMP, No. 100 Broadway.

FOR SALE—ON 87TH-AV., TWO FOUR-story brown-stone stores and dwellings on west side, between 82d and 83d sts. Apply to
J. ROMAINE BROWN,
1,350 Broadway.

E. DUNCAN SNIFFEN,
REAL ESTATE,
No. 5 Pine-st.

BOULEVARD AND 87TH-AV. LOTS, by the block or single lot, opposite, above and below the Park, at prices sure to pay a handsome profit on the investment. Apply to J. O. HONIG, No. 111 Broadway, between Dey and Cortlandt-sts.

FOR SALE—TO SETTLE AN ESTATE, 25 dwellings and lot No. 104 East 41st-st., suitable for a factory or livery stable. Apply to COLEMAN BENEDICT, Executor, No. 14 Broad-st.

FIVE ELEGANT LOTS FOR SALE ON 7th Grand Boulevard, near 92d-st., at low figure. E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—SIX FULL lots on a corner of 112th-av. near 94th-st. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 9 Pine-st.

A FINE CORNER PLOT, FOUR LOTS, for sale on 6th-av., below 103d-st.; price $6,000. E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st.

on the south by the estate of THOMAS VAIL, deceased, and the proposed improvements in the vicinity are such that an eligible location for a residence will be secured. The transaction deserves attention.

Tuesday, June 4.

By JAMES M. MILLER, at the Exchange, by order of the Supreme Court in foreclosure cases under the direction of CHAS. A. JACKSON, Esq., referee, the three-story attic and basement brick house and lot No. 326 West Twenty-eighth-street, north side, 175 feet east of Ninth-avenue; lot 18 by 98.9; house 22 by 54. Also, at a trustee's sale, the following property: Three four-story brick cement-fronted houses (with stores) and lots, situate on the west side of Second-avenue, between One Hundred and Sixth-seventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth-streets, known as Nos. 2,311, 2,313 and 2,315, lots full size, buildings each 25 feet deep; also two four-story English basement brown-stone and brick houses and lots, known as Nos. 220 and 222 East One Hundred and Seventeenth-street, south side, 375 feet east of Second-avenue; lots each 38 by 100.11; thence each 50 feet in depth.

By J. ELBERT SMITH, at 300 Canal-st., also at a Supreme Court foreclosure sale, Reuben H. Walworth, Esq., referee, the property known as No. 64 Ridge-street, east side, 111.5 feet north of Rivington-street, embracing an irregular-shaped lot 22.9 feet front by 100 feet in depth, (rear line 42.4 feet,) with a brick building thereon.

By JERE. JOHNSON, Jr., at the Exchange, at public auction, in extensive lots of very choice and valuable Brooklyn property, as listed in all on fifteen three-story brick houses, by Decatur-street Boulevard, New-York and Nostrand avenues and Butler-street, containing seventy lots; also, on New-York-avenue, Kingston-avenue, Albany-avenue and Troy-avenue, the entire front, eleven lots; Butler-street, south side, 100 feet east of New-York-avenue, ten lots; Douglass-street Boulevard, north side, 100 feet east of New-York-avenue, ten lots; Bainbridge-street, south side, 200 feet east of Brooklyn avenue, five lots; Bainbridge-street, north side, in rear of above, five lots; St. Mark's-place, south side, 50 feet west of Kingston-avenue, one lot; Warren-street, north side, in rear of above, one lot; Kingston-avenue, north-east corner of Butler-street, five lots; Kingston-avenue, east side, entire from between Butler and Warren streets, twelve lots; Kingston-avenue, east side, entire front between Warren-street and St. Mark's-place, twelve lots; Pacific-street, south side, 100 feet east of New-York-avenue, one lot. The above is one of the most important sales of Brooklyn real estate proposed for months, and should attract attention.

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Sixty per cent can remain on bond and mortgage.

Maps at office of auctioneers, or of R. S. Jaques, attorney for executors, No. 25 Chambers-st.

By JAMES M. MILLER, at the Exchange, by order of the Supreme Court in foreclosure cases, under the direction of CHARLES E. MIDDLEBROOK, Esq., referee, a house and lot on the south side of West Twenty-seventh-street, 440 feet west of Sixth-avenue; lot 20 by 98.9. Also, at a trustee's sale, the following property: Three four-story brick cement-fronted houses (with stores) and lots, situate on the west side of Second-avenue, between One Hundred and Sixth-seventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth-streets, known as Nos. 2,311, 2,313 and 2,315, lots full size, buildings each 25 feet deep; also two four-story English basement brown-stone and brick houses and lots, known as Nos. 220 and 222 East One Hundred and Seventeenth-street, south side, 375 feet east of Second-avenue; lots each 38 by 100.11; thence each 50 feet in depth.

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CITY REAL ESTATE.

TO SELL OR RENT TORRELL.—YET three days to pay the customary brown-stone trimmings, No. 328 West 57th-st., one of the finest locations in the city; parlors and hall finished in hard woods; kitchen and laundry floors painted in colors; double doors in parlor story; mantels and vestibule tiles set in oil; patent dumb-waiter; kitchen-floor and basement-stairs of Georgia pine; two-story stone stoop; square 3-ply 5th-av. mansion; expensive mirrors in dining-room, parlor, second and third floors; in short, everything in up-to-date conveniences; open for rent or sale 4 hours; second location in this City for the price, viz., $42,500 for all; $20,000 may remain if desired. No commissions and no exchanges entertained. The owner is going West, and makes this offer for three days. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

A DESIRABLE DOUBLE STONE dwelling and 40 ft. full lots, convenient to Broadway and the Park, on 57th-st., first house west of 8th-av., the whole for only $54,000. It will immediately pay a very valuable property, on 25th ground, in the very vicinity of the west side, is exceedingly cheap: terms easy; sold for the account of a non-resident, and seen with next permit; location first class: fine present and immense prospective value.

W. K. STEVENSON & SON,
No. 11 Pine-st. and No. 236 6th-av.

FOR SALE—SEVENTEEN LOTS, NORTH side of 182d-st., being 100 feet on the 8th-av. running through to McComb's Dam Road; can be bought very cheap. Also, a plot of six lots between 9th and 10th ave., on 124th-st. Also, 24 lots on the 6th-av., near 122d-st. Also, 5 lots, between 8th and 9th ave., in 70th-st.; $7,000 each.

DYE & CURTISS,
No. 2,265 6th-av.

A FREE REGISTER, WITH PARTICULARS of 2,000 City houses and property for sale and to let, Manhattan City map, &c., &c., gratis. Also, lots on Park, Madison, 5th and 6th ave., the Boulevard and Central Park, at lowest rates.

W. K. STEVENSON & SON,
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COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE.

The beautiful country home of Chiddingstone, being a part of the manor of the late Chancellor Livingston, in Columbia County, New-York, upon the banks of the Hudson River, and three miles from Tivoli Station; five or six trains each way daily. The mountain and river views from this place are unequaled, and the view from the piazza has been so graphically described by Barry Gray in a recent number of the *Home Journal*. The property consists of eighty acres of improved land, upon which are native woods, a mansion-house (new) of stone and brick, French roof, frescoed, with tank, bath, &c. Also, large cottages, fourteen rooms; coach-house and stables, farm barns, sheds, ice and wood houses, machine, carpenter and other shops, all new, newly painted and in perfect order. The property is well underwatered, has four wells of good water. No fever and ague here. Churches and school near. Furniture, stock and farming implements sold also if desired. Apply on the premises to T. S. CLARKSON, Tivoli, N. Y.

QUICK TRANSIT.
WESTCHESTER COUNTY
LANDS.
BLACKWELL & CO.,
NO. 35 LIBERTY-ST.

$5,000—FOR SALE, IN THE UP-per part of Newark, N. J., (Woodside,) a pleasantly-situated house; nine rooms, with water in kitchen and bath-room; cellar extends under whole house; lot 50x216; good well of water and cistern on premises. Address H. B., Box No. 115 *Times* Office.

Homes for All.

For houses, lots and land by the acre, on the line of the Central Railroad of New-Jersey, apply to
A. D. HOPE, No. 119 Liberty-st.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY FOR CAPITALISTS.

For sale on Long Island, within five miles of New-York, a beautiful plot of ground containing 3,000 city lots, elegantly located, being but 800 yards from the South Side Railroad, and one quarter of a mile from Long Island and one mile from the Flushing depots. Two lines of horse-cars run to the property from Williamsburg ferries; fare only five cents. No old rubbish to be found in all this vicinity. This is the most desirable plot for cutting up to be found within twenty miles of New-York. Parties desiring to purchase the whole property on easy terms may apply to I. & SATCHFIELDER, No. 4 Exchange Court.

WATER-POWER,
EQUAL TO 1,500-HORSE POWER.

With choice tract of land, within thirty-five miles of New-York; depot on the property. For sale by
W. H. & E. H. GUY & CO.,
Nos. 54 and 57 Liberty-st.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

House and lot at Bergen Point, N. J., two blocks from La Tourette Hotel.
Price, $11,000. Rent, $700. Inquire of
J. H. H. & CO.,
No. 1 State-st., or No. 12 East 10th-st.

MORNINGSIDE MANSION IN FITTS Fifteen Residence Sites for Sale. This villa, recently owned and occupied by Judge R. D. Curtis, is offered for sale. From ten to one hundred acres of meadow, tillage and wood land, can be had with it; the land is of the first quality and has a warm south exposure; the buildings are all in perfect repair and tastefully adapted to Summer and Winter occupancy; it is provided with a prolific grapery, a large and productive fruit orchard, and extensive garden grounds, well cared for and inviting; the site is unsurpassed for beauty of scenery, and the place is considered one of the very finest villas in the country; it is one mile from the centre of Pittsfield. Inquire of E. H. KELLOGG, Pittsfield, Mass.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—AT PATERSON, N. J., about one mile from the Erie Railroad Depot. A commodious two-story house, 34 feet with two-story extension, 24 feet; contains seven rooms and dry cellar under house, stable and other buildings, a good well of water, cistern, &c., with modern conveniences; 100 feet square of ground attached to house; eight additional lots can be had if required.

For further particulars inquire of Mr. H. C. HUDSON, No. 276 Main-st., Paterson, or at R. P. HERRIEW, No. 103 South-st., New-York.

FREEMAN BLOODGOOD, Executor.

FOR SALE—ON THE WEST BANK OF THE Hudson, nine miles north of New Hamburg, the residence and farm known as the Clinton Point Farm, celebrated not only for the fertility of its soil, but for grandeur and beauty. Must be seen to be appreciated. Will sell on reasonable terms. No better home can be found for a gentleman's residence, or for a country seat. Apply to I. & SATCHFIELDER, No. 4 Exchange Court.

THE ELEGANT MANSION (FURnished or unfurnished) and grounds of Adams Bailey, at Scarsdale, Westchester County, twenty-two miles from city, convenient to railway depot; large and replete with city conveniences; beautiful view in every direction; one mile from depot. Apply to A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., No. 77 Cedar-st.

HANDSOME STONE HOUSE, WITH tower, out-buildings and grounds, of the late R. Nelson, at Scarsdale, nineteen miles by Harlem Railroad; one-quarter mile from depot; eight acres, fine lawn, gardens, shrubbery and drives. Apply to A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., No. 77 Cedar-st.

HANDSOME SEVEN-ROOM COTTAGE, in nice neighborhood; convenient to depot; thirty-four daily trains; worth $3,000; at auction June 7, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange. Title clear. New Jersey. Particulars of E. L. WILLIAMS, No. 119 Broadway.

FOR SALE OR TO LET AT GLEN Cove, Long Island—Two story and side house, handsomely finished, and three acres; delightfully situated; three minutes from depot; coach-house, lawn, fine garden and flower-beds. Apply to A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., No. 77 Cedar-st.

FOR SALE AT MORRISANIA—TWO elegant new houses in good order, and about five eighths of a lot. Are situated in front of the lot. Price $2,500 each. $2,000 can remain on bond and mortgage. For particulars inquire of JAMES L. PARSHALL, Washington-av., corner 149th-st., Morrisania.

A BARGAIN—A SPLENDID FARM OF ninety-six acres, with mansion, farm buildings, grapery, orchard, stock, &c., complete, in Westchester County, twenty-five miles from New-York.
S. EDDY & CO., No. 1 Park-place.

FARMS—LARGE AND SMALL, FOR SALE in New-Jersey, within thirty miles of the City, with great prospective values.
HASTINGS GRANT,
No. 104 Broadway, one door from Pine-st.

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL SPOT OF SIX acres of land, a small, neat house and out-buildings, in the town of Harrison, Westchester County, forty-five minutes from the City. Price $7,000.
DYE & CURTISS, No. 2,265 6th-av.

ORANGE, N. J.—COUNTRY HOUSES, for sale or to let, in the most desirable locations. Also, furnished and unfurnished houses to let for season or year, by BLACKWELL & SMITH, 248 Broadway, 9 to 11, or Orange, corner Main and Cona-sts.

ORANGE, N. J.—EVERY DESCRIPTION of property for sale or to let in Orange and vicinity. A. H. MERRILL, Jr., & BRO., Central-av., opposite station, and No. 9 Pine-st., New-York.

FOR SALE OR TO LET FURNISHED—A handsome country residence at Morrisania, N. Y., with 4 to 40 acres; see photograph. S. EDDY & CO., No. 1 Park-place.

FOR SALE AT ENGLEWOOD, N. J.—Eight-roomed cottage; large garden filled with fruit trees and grape-vines; 30 minutes' ride by cars. Apply or address at Englewood Station.

ORANGE, N. J., AND VICINITY, especially.—Fine, variety property for sale, rent or exchange. T. B. GERRY, No. 29 Nassau-st.

FOR SALE—A VERY DESIRABLE BUILDing lot, 20x100, on 43d-av., Hunter's Point, L. I. Apply at Cigar-store of HENRY MILLER, No. 243 Broadway.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

VALUABLE SALE OF 25TH-ST. LAND AT AUCTION.

ADRIAN H. MULLER & P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction, on MONDAY, June 3 at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway,

NINETY-EIGHT-STREET—One lot, situate on the south side of 98th-st., 200 feet east of 4th-av.; lot, 20 feet 11 inches.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION

ADJOURNED AUCTION SALE,

TUESDAY, JUNE 4, 1872,

OF THE

OAKLAND PROPERTY,

Between Cranford and Westfield, on the Central Railroad of New-Jersey.

This sale, adjourned from 27th May, in consequence of the violent storm, WILL BE RESUMED ON THE 4TH INST., when the balance of this choice property will be sold.

Special train will leave foot of Liberty-st. at 11 A. M. on day of sale.

For maps and passes, apply to
A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., Auctioneers,
No. 4 Pine-st.
And to
GRIFFITH & PRENTISS,
No. 49 Wall-st.

If stormy, the sale will take place on Thursday at same hour.

MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.

SECOND PEREMPTORY SALE,
COMPRISING

1,400 CITY LOTS

AT
OCEAN POINT STATION,
ROCKAWAY NECK, LONG ISLAND,
AT AUCTION.

E. H. LUDLOW & CO.

WILL SELL BY AUCTION ON

Tuesday, June 11, 1872,

At 12 o'clock, on the premises, at
OCEAN POINT STATION,
SALE BY ORDER OF THOMAS E. AND SAMUEL W. MASH.
VALUABLE PLOTS, CENTRAL, CHESTNUT, OCEAN POINT, AND OTHER AVENUES.

Ocean Point Station is beautifully located near the centre of Rockaway Neck, which is five miles in length, and has an average width of about one and a half miles, containing some 4,000 acres of fine upland.

The property to be sold is some of the finest on Rockaway Neck, lying high, with good natural drainage, exceedingly healthy and easy of access by either the Long Island Railroads, each of which reads have stations on the property.

The streets are all opened and graded, shade trees set out, and the property fenced in, and is in all respects ready for immediate improvement. The plots contain from two to sixteen city lots and will be sold all or much per city lot, without reserve, to the highest bidder.

Title perfect, printed abstracts of which will be furnished purchasers free of charge.

The terms are very low, being about one and a half per cent. on a low valuation.

Thirty per cent of the purchase money may remain on bond and mortgage.

Maps and free tickets for either Long Island or South-side Railroads can be had at the auctioneer's offices, No. 1 Nassau-st., corner Cedar-st., and No. 5 Nassau-st., N. Y.

J. JOHNSON, Jr., Auctioneer.

BY JERE. JOHNSON, Jr., AUCTIONEER.
No. 2 Nassau-st., corner Cedar-st.

Real estate promptly sold and exchanged. Auction sales of stocks, bonds, &c., every MONDAY.

MONDAY, June 3,
at 12½, on premises,
GREAT ASTORIA SALE
OF
100 SPLENDID LOTS.

By order of John A. Stevens, Esq., EXECUTOR OF SAMUEL STEVENS, deceased.

Excursion by steamer. Gratella's Band. Maps will be ready ten days before sale.

WEDNESDAY, June 5,
Grand auction sale,
200 Whitestone, Long Island, lots,
On the premises, at 12½ o'clock.

By order of Augustus F. Weekes, Esq., late President of J. L. Mott Iron-works proprietor, under direction of George Van Siclen, Esq., attorney,
Gratella's Band. Splendid collation.

Harbison, the famous impressionist, to sell.

Sale positive. Seventy per cent on mortgage.

Train will leave New-York at 11 A. M. Free excursion tickets of J. Johnson, Jr., auctioneer, and George W. Van Siclen, attorney, No. 128 Nassau-st.

J. JOHNSON, Jr., Auctioneer.

INCORPORATED OPPORTUNITY TO PURCHASE
100 CHOICE BROOKLYN LOTS
in the
COURT ENDS
of the
CITY OF CHURCHES,
at
A POSITIVE AUCTION SALE
ON THURSDAY, JUNE 6,
At Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, N. Y.

The property to be sold embraces the whole of the MANSFIELD BLOCK bounded by DOUGLASS-ST. BOULEVARD, NEW-YORK and NOSTRAND AVS. and BUTLER-ST., containing seventy lots. Also, on

New-York-avenue—East side, between Douglass and Butler-sts., the entire front, eleven lots.

BUTLER-STREET—South side, 100 feet e. of New-York-av., ten lots.

DOUGLASS-STREET BOULEVARD—North side, 100 feet east of New-York-av., ten lots.

BAINBRIDGE-STREET—South side, 200 feet east of Brooklyn-av., five lots.

BUTLER-STREET—North side, in rear of above, five lots.

ST. MARK'S-PLACE—South side, 100 feet east of Kingston-av., one lot.

WARREN-STREET—North side, in rear of above, one lot.

KINGSTON-AVENUE—East side, entire front, between Butler and Warren sts., twelve lots.

KINGSTON-AVENUE—East side, entire front, between Warren-st. and St. Mark's-place, twelve lots.

PACIFIC-STREET—South side, 100 feet east of New-York-av., one lot.

The above is the finest selection of property that has been offered for a long time.

Terms—Sixty per cent on mortgage for three years. Each lot can be sold separate to suit purchasers.

JERE. JOHNSON, JR., Auctioneer,
No. 2 Nassau-st., New-York.

M. M. MILLER, Auctioneer.

THE WEST SUMMIT
AUCTION SALE
POSTPONED TO
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5,
OF 195 ACRES OF
LAND IN VILLA PLOTS,
located at
WEST SUMMIT, N. J.,
NEAR NEW-PROVIDENCE.

The sale advertised for May 30, 1872, was adjourned in consequence of the severe storm, and the property was not offered, but

POSITIVELY WILL BE SOLD
BY
ROSS, CROSS & DICKINSON,
Advertiser Building, corner of Broad and Market sts.,
Newark, N. J.,
AT PUBLIC AUCTION,
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, 1872,
AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M., on the premises,
TOWN OF SUMMIT,
or BUILDING SITES, containing from 3 to 30 acres each. The property is located at West Summit, near New-Providence, on the New-Jersey West Line Railroad, 20 min. distant daily from Summit, and on the main carriage road from Summit to New-Providence, and known as the "John R. Burnet" farm.

SALE ABSOLUTE, to satisfy a claim held by the National Iron Bank, of Morristown, N. J.

Upon one of these plots is a good frame house, and all necessary outbuildings.

The above property is beautifully located, being surrounded by good improvements, bounded by the Passaic River on the west, and within one hour of New-York, with twenty-six trains daily to and from Summit.

Parties wishing to make investments in real estate, that is sure to enhance in value, should be present at this sale. SPECIAL CARS will be attached to the train, leaving New-York, at the foot of Barclay-st., at 12(20) P. M., and convey passengers to and from the sale.

TERMS EASY.

FREE TICKETS, MAPS,
and full particulars, with ROSS, CROSS & DICKINSON, Advertising Building, corner of Broad and Market sts., Newark, N. J.; A. DRAKE & CO., Morristown, N. J.; S. EDDY & CO., No. 1 Park-place, New-York; or on the premises.

Luncheon will be provided on the grounds.

Sale positive, "RAIN OR SHINE."

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE LOTS ON AVENUE A AND 82D-ST.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction, on MONDAY, June 3, at 12 o'clock M., at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, by order of Trustees:

AVENUE A—One lot, east side, commencing 51 feet 2 inches north of 82d-st.

EIGHTY-SECOND-STREET—Three lots, south side, commencing 206 feet 6 inches west of Avenue A.

EIGHTY-SECOND-STREET—Seven lots, north side, commencing 206 feet 6 inches west of Avenue A.

EIGHTY-SECOND-STREET—Three lots, south side, commencing 275 feet east of Avenue A.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. WILL SELL AT AUCTION ON THURSDAY, JUNE 6, AT 12 O'CLOCK, AT THE EXCHANGE SALES-ROOM, NO. 111 BROADWAY, BY ORDER OF C. MINOR AND D. R. JAQUES, EXECUTORS:

THE ELEGANT MANSION, WITH SEVEN ACRES OF LAND, SITUATE AT RYE, WESTCHESTER COUNTY, LATE THE RESIDENCE OF HON. ALEXANDER W. BRADFORD, DECEASED.

Fine stable, carriage-house, and all necessary outbuildings, the whole constituting a first-class country residence, and known as "Bradford." Also, thirteen villa plots, containing from two to five acres each. The above-described property is located in the most beautiful portion of Southern Westchester. It is in the immediate vicinity of first-class improvements, and convenient to schools, churches, and stores; is of easy access, being only twenty miles from New-York, with sixteen trains each way daily. The land is high and has commanding views of Long Island Sound and the adjoining country. The celebrated Rye Beach, distant three-quarters of a mile, affords fine sea-bathing.

Sixty per cent can remain on bond and mortgage.

Maps at the office of the auctioneers.

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RATES OF PASSAGE—Cabin, $80, $100, $120, gold, according to accommodation. Tickets to Paris, $145, gold, included. Return tickets on favorable terms. Steerage, $30, currency.

Special attention is called to the Liverpool and Queenstown, and all parts of Europe, at lowest rates. Through bills of lading given for Boston, Glasgow, Havre, Antwerp, and other ports on the Continent, and for Mediterranean ports. For freight or passage apply at the Company's office, No. 4 Bowling-green; for passage only, at No. 111 Broadway, Trinity Building. CHAS. G. FRANCKLYN, Agent.

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BALTIC.....June 8, 7 A. M.
ATLANTIC.....June 15, 8 P. M.
OCEANIC.....June 22, 8½ P. M.
REPUBLIC.....June 29, 12½ P. M.

From the White Star Dock, Pavonia Ferry, Jersey City, where the Company's omnibuses (for all classes) will be in waiting, conveying passengers to the steamers.

SAFETY, SPEED AND COMFORT.

Saloon, state-rooms, smoking-room and bath-rooms in midship section, where least motion is felt. Second cabin and steerage accommodations unsurpassed by those of any other steamers.

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Steamers leave 13th and 28th each month, except when those dates fall on Sunday, then the day previous.

June 13.—Steamer HENRY CHAUNCEY, Capt. A. G. GRAY, will leave Pier No. 42 North River, at 12 o'clock noon, for Aspinwall, via Kingston, Jam., connecting at Panama with steamer ARIZONA, Capt. ——, touching at Acapulco, Manzanillo and Masatlan, and also connecting for all Central American and South Pacific ports. For freight or passage apply or address to the Company's office, No. 111 Broadway, Trinity Building. CHAS. G. FRANCKLYN, Agent.

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On and after MONDAY, June 3, the steamers will leave Pier No. 2 North River, at 5 P. M.
Instead of 5 o'clock, as heretofore, for
BOSTON, via NEWPORT and FALL RIVER.

HALL'S CELEBRATED BRASS BAND
Will be stationed on each steamer, commencing June 1.
W. H. SIMMONS, Managing Director.
New-York, May 30, 1872.

NEW-JERSEY SOUTHERN RAILROAD LINE, FOR LONG BRANCH AND ALL STATIONS ON THIS AND CONNECTING RAILROADS, INCLUDING PHILADELPHIA, VINELAND, BRIDGETON, GREENWICH, &c., &c.

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POISONING.

The Suspicious Death of Assistant Assessor Anderson.

Discovery of Arsenic in the Stomach—Arrest of the Widow of the Deceased and of Dr. L. B. Irish, His Medical Attendant.

On the 9th of April last Assistant Assessor EDWARD O. ANDERSON, of Gen. JOURDAN's staff, died at his residence, No. 431 Fulton-street, after an illness of only twenty-four hours. He was attended during his illness by Dr. LUCIUS B. IRISH, of No. 213 Court-street, a well-known physician and druggist, of fifteen years' creditable standing in Brooklyn, and during some months the confidential physician in Mr. ANDERSON's family. The doctor certified that Mr. ANDERSON had died of acute gastritis, and, after the body had laid a day in the house, a funeral service was performed over it, and it was conveyed by a party of his old associates in the revenue department early one morning to the home of the dead man's father, in Yonkers, where the final services were performed, and the corpse was interred in the family burying-ground.

A few days afterward dark suspicions began to circulate among Mr. ANDERSON's companions. Certain expressions which the latter had made use of shortly before the death relative to his unhappy marital relations, and one in particular, that he "had not dared to eat a meal at home for three weeks, on account of fearing poison," were called to mind and associated with his sudden carrying off. It was known that Mr. and Mrs. ANDERSON had not lived happily together, and that he had talked of suing for a divorce. Mrs. ANDERSON had been in ill-health for some time and Dr. IRISH had attended to her, and it was surmised, had obtained a guilty control over her affections. There were certain circumstances also connected with Mr. ANDERSON's illness which added to the doubtfulness of the case. His symptoms were described as totally different from those displayed by persons suffering with the disease with which certified that he had died from. The corpse also, up to the final closing of the coffin-lid, had preserved the rosy flush of life.

These suspicions finally so worked on Mr. ALFRED ANDERSON, the father, that he made an affidavit before a Yonkers notary public setting forth that his son was a man of strong constitution, and had always enjoyed good health, and that he died after an illness of only twenty-four hours; that he had violent burning pains in the heart and stomach, accompanied by vomiting; that his son's wife, SARAH ANDERSON, gave him to drink what she called toast-water, and that shortly after he drank it he died; that deceased had told his mother that he was afraid to eat anything that his wife cooked for fear of being poisoned; that the said wife had frequently stated that she wished her husband would be brought home a corpse. The deponent also said that he believed his son had been foully dealt with, and as there had been no inquest held, he prayed that the body might be taken up and examined."

Upon this affidavit the body was exhumed and conveyed by Coroner WHITEHILL from Yonkers to Brooklyn, where the stomach was given to Prof. DOREMUS to make the analysis of. Mr. ANDERSON stated that they had no charges to prefer, but that the suspicions were so grave that an investigation had become necessary. Dr. IRISH published a card asking for a suspension of public opinion pending the chemist's analysis.

On Saturday last, in compliance with a request of Prof. DOREMUS, District-Attorney BRITTON called upon the former gentleman in New-York, and was informed that though he had not entirely completed his analysis, he had found a large quantity of arsenic in the stomach and intestines of the late Mr. ANDERSON, sufficient beyond a doubt to have produced his death. Otherwise Mr. ANDERSON's body indicated that he was a healthy man, and presented no signs of intemperance.

Mr. BRITTON, on the strength of this statement of Prof. DOREMUS, made a complaint embodying these facts yesterday morning in the Police Justice WALSH, who issued warrants for the arrest of the accused doctor and widow. Dr. IRISH was arrested at his drug-store by Officer BYRNE, who conveyed him to the Butler-street Station-house, where he was locked in a cell. Mrs. ANDERSON was captured at her residence, and was locked up in the York-street Station-house. She was quite communicative, and told her story freely to all who were permitted to visit her. According to her story, she and her late husband were married twelve years ago in Yonkers, and they had resided nine years in Brooklyn. They had had but one child, which is dead. Mr. ANDERSON was subject to dyspepsia. He was a high liver, and in the habit of eating late suppers. His habits were very irregular. The week before his death she had been visiting her mother for three days, and on her return found her husband vomiting severely, and complaining of a terrible pain in the stomach, which had been troubling him for a couple of weeks. The next night, Saturday, the pain increased, and he went out to get some hot liquor to allay it. When he returned she was struck with his altered appearance, and exclaimed: "Oh, Ed., what's the matter?" He replied that he was a gone man. A doctor was sent for and remained until nearly morning, and called again on Sunday. On Monday, immediately after breakfast, he was attacked again with vomiting. The following day he was ordered to drink champagne, and in the evening he fainted away twice, and died. The doctor who had attended him was Dr. IRISH, whose family and her own were very intimate. She had not hastened the burial of the body, and she could not understand why this accusation was brought. Mrs. ANDERSON, who was dressed in deep mourning, is about thirty-five years of age, a brunette, intelligent and agreeable in her manners.

Dr. IRISH refused to make any statement, except to assert his perfect confidence of complete exoneration.

RUMORED CHOLERA.

No Foundation for the Report in a Morning Paper—The Disease Not in the Harbor.

A morning contemporary of yesterday spread a report that forty cases of Asiatic cholera had been brought to the port of New-York in the French gun-boat *La Terreur*, from Havana, and that upon the authorities becoming cognisant of the fact the gun boat was immediately ordered to put to sea. This report, naturally created considerable excitement among the people of the City, who, upon the approach of Summer, are apprehensive of an attack from the dreaded disease. The Quarantine authorities were quite as excited as the people, and yesterday morning Dr. MOSHER and Dr. VANDERPOOL took one of the quarantine steamers and visited the French frigate *Minerva*, which lies at anchor in the bay, to ascertain whether the officers knew anything about the matter.

They stated that they had neither seen nor heard anything of such a gun-boat entering the harbor. The Health Officers made the most strenuous exertions to discover the foundation for the rumor, but were unable to learn anything about it, and united in expressing their belief that it is a complete hoax. Dr. MOSHER has in his possession a circular from the French Consul at Havana, of late date, in which it is certified that neither cholera, nor any contagious disease whatever, exists in that city or the surrounding country. Should a vessel having contagious disease on board touch at this port, so far from being forced to put to sea, it would not even be allowed to go away until the Quarantine authorities had either taken the sick to the hospital or became satisfied that the accommodations on board were sufficient to provide for them suitably. The Quarantine arrangements are at present ample to cope with cholera or any epidemic which may reach us on shipboard from foreign shores. The cholera, which was so promptly suppressed, last year, first appeared at Constantinople, and following the routes of travel, broke out in the cities along the Baltic. Altona, Hamburg and Stettin were visited in regular course, and from the latter city it was carried on board the steam-ship *Franklin*. Seven hundred emigrants had taken passage, and out of that number 100 were afflicted with the epidemic. Fifty-three cases proved fatal. The *Franklin* touched at Halifax in distress, and while lying there for a few hours communicated the disease to people who visited her from the shore. Several of these cases proved fatal, and had not entire settlements in which these persons lived been quarantined there is no doubt but that the cholera would have obtained a footing on the Continent. Several cases proved fatal while the *Franklin* was in quarantine in this port, but the disease was kept from shore and did not appear in the City. The progress of the present epidemic in Asia and Europe is similar to that of the scourges of previous years, and there is occasion for great watchfulness that it does not reach this country, as it has in years past. The filthy condition of many of the streets is sufficient to breed the epidemic without its being imported, and a fearful responsibility will rest upon those who have them in charge should we suffer a scourge from this cause.

Dr. MASHER asserts that the Quarantine arrangements are perfect, and in no case would the City of New-York be tainted with the inhumanity of sending an infected vessel to sea, when the result would be the inevitable death of all on board. He also fears that the report alluded to will be injurious to the interests of American shipping abroad, as vessels from the United States would be rigidly quarantined and even not allowed to enter a harbor in many places.

The following official document has been promulgated:

HEALTH OFFICER'S DESK AT THE QUARANTINE, Staten Island, June 2, 1873.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

The following paragraph appears in the *New York World* to-day:

The French gun-boat *La Terreur*, now singularly appropriate the name,) which came here with the *Admiral* and another gun-boat last week from the West Indies, has been sent to sea again, with orders to keep the open ocean, having on board, out of some fourteen, forty cases of unquestionable cholera. The only other facts obtainable in this connection are, that the disease had recently arrived in Havana, and was in a novel form and complicated with yellow fever."

There is not the slightest foundation of truth in the above. No vessel of that name, either in the war or merchant service of France, is now or has been in this port. No vessel with cholera on board has entered the harbor this spring, nor has a case of cholera occurred after so entering for, too, is it mistaken with reference to the alleged sending of a vessel to sea on such choleraic or any other quarantinable disease on board. The State has made liberal provision for the care of such diseases and instead of dooming them to almost certain death by sending them to sea, would remove them as speedily as possible to one of its hospitals and take thorough measures to close the vessel. Further, I have most satisfactory evidence that no such disease exists at Havana. While the germs of yellow fever are undoubtedly there, and may approach these shores at any moment, there is nothing of the nature of cholera.

I would say to add, that I regret the publication of such a report, which is injurious to the business interests of the City; the actual presence of an epidemic would scarcely work more disastrously than this publication to the world of absolutely baseless stories.

S. CARLEY VANDERPOOL, Health Officer.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

The Orthodox Quakers—The Meeting-House—Addresses Yesterday.

The Quaker meeting-house is an unpretending structure, laying no claims to architectural beauty or splendor of finish. It stands a little back from the street, and resembles a country school-house in a flourishing district so far as its exterior is concerned. It is between Third and Fourth avenues, on Twentieth-street, and fronts on Gramercy Park, which is on the opposite side of the way, a little to the left. The trees of the park, heavy with foliage and alive with birds which sing beautifully all day long, make the neighborhood so delightful that the church does not appear half so staid and solemn, and the faces of those who wend their way thither for devotional exercises on a fresh June morning, like that of yesterday, grow brighter and pleasanter as they approach, and the cripple who stands near by taking alms, receives many a penny that would otherwise find a man in the pocket of the donor. The interior of the structure is quite as unassuming as the exterior. The walls and ceiling are of a dull gray, and the pews and galleries are of the same staid and unassuming hue. The portion of the church usually occupied by the pulpit is built up with pews, rising one above the other like seats in a theatre. These pews are of hard wood, and the absence of cushions, which is in accordance with the creed of the Quakers as regards simplicity, makes a protracted sitting very tiresome. The galleries extend around three sides of the edifice, and are as plainly fitted as the body of the church. Thither came yesterday morning a large congregation composed partly of the Societies of Friends, and partly of people who came through curiosity and a desire to witness the peculiar ceremonies. The services consists in a text from the Bible, selected on one side by Quakers, who kept their hats on in accordance with their custom, and on the other by the female part of the Society, dressed in the sober hues which are characteristic of their attire. The galleries were filled with those who came to see and hear, and certainly they took an undoubted interest in the proceedings, the ladies viewing the sober attire of their sex curiously, while the gentlemen scanned quite as curiously the quaint attire of the Quaker brethren. When the congregation had assembled and silence was maintained for a time a fervent prayer was offered by ELIZABETH COSTOCK, the words being uttered in a musical tone which is peculiar to their devotional exercises. LEWIS HOAG then began to speak, slowly at first, and gradually increasing in the volume of voice and rapidity of utterance until the attention of the congregation was at its height. He spoke of the doctrine of the Church regarding the relative positions of Christ and man; alluded to the crime by which man fell, and explained the necessity of a Mediator. He called upon all to place themselves within the pale of atoning love, so that when the dark shadows of death should fall upon their paths they might be ready and willing to follow those who had gone before. ELIZABETH COSTOCK then uttered a fervent prayer and the services were over.

Baptism, by Immersion—A Methodist Minister Becomes a Baptist.

A very interesting ceremony took place yesterday morning at the Baptist Church, on the corner of Madison and Gouverneur streets. A young Methodist minister, accepted on probation by the New-York East Conference, in April, desired to become a member of the Baptist persuasion, and to be formally baptised after the manner of that sect. Considerable interest was felt in the neighborhood by the occurrence, for the convert was well known as being of an old Methodist family, in which Methodism was handed down from father to son as a precious heirloom. He was also extremely bright and promising, and gifted with a picturesque eloquence that never failed to charm his hearers. From these causes, the church was quite crowded. It is, indeed, not a very large building, but the galleries and the body of the church were fully occupied. The neophyte, during the morning, occupied a chair behind the reading desk upon the platform, and was the object of all eyes, from the fact that he wore the robe of immersion, a long garment of black serge, which descended far below the knees. The pastor, Rev. JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, introduced him to the audience as the preacher, and it was generally understood among the audience that he would speak about the change in his convictions, which had led to the present step. But, with commendable delicacy, he refrained, and choosing his text from the twenty-sixth chapter of the Acts, and the fourth, fifth and sixth verses, he discourse upon St. Paul's conversion, its suddenness, the change it wrought in his life, and the activity with which he labored in the new path that had been revealed to him. The address was full of scholarship, and not devoid of a certain religious humor which has never failed to tell in the pulpit. At the close he, in a few sentences, spoke of himself, and said that he had been convinced for some time that the only scriptural baptism was that of immersion, but that he had deferred acknowledging his conviction until he had been accepted as a minister, that he might make the greater sacrifice for the truth. Then the doxology was sung, and the ceremony of baptism commenced. The pastor, Rev. JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, who, during the singing, had gone into the vestry, returned clad in a similar robe to that worn by Mr. DUDLEY. He approached the neophyte, and taking him by the hand they both descended the steps of the tank which stretched in front of the reading desk. There were four steps at each end, and the tank, which was about ten feet in length, had four feet of water in it. The two men standing on the bottom step came up to the centre of the enclosure, which was exceedingly simple. The pastor, with one hand on his shoulder and the other around his waist, asked, in the formula of his sect, whether he had for some time deliberately considered and studied the religion of Christ, and whether he desired to be baptised. The neophyte, raising his eyes to heaven, in a voice almost inarticulate with emotion replied, "I do." "Then in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost, I now baptize thee," said the pastor solemnly and with a look of the greatest affection, as he suddenly took him off his feet and placed him, by an effort of great strength, horizontally completely under the water. He raised him almost instantly and wiped the water away from his face with a pocket handkerchief. Then they walked through the tank and came out on the other side. This was the end of the ceremony, which was extremely simple, beautiful and affecting, and was witnessed by the whole congregation with affectionate sympathy and interest.

The German-American Union League of the United States—Delegates to Philadelphia.

A special meeting of the German-American Union League of the United States was held on Saturday at No. 648 Third-avenue, the President, Mr. WILLIAM R. LOEW, in the chair, and Mr. M. MANDL Secretary. Congratulatory letters and telegrams were read from Gen. Franz Sigel, Gen. Thomas J. Scott, Henry Clews, William Orton, Senator Conkling, and Hon. Edwards Pierrepont.

Mr. JAMES R. MCFARLAND moved that twenty-five delegates be sent as a body to the Philadelphia Convention. After much discussion this was lost by a majority of votes. Mr. LOEW then made an eloquent speech in favor of the reelection of Gen. GRANT for President and Senator HENRY WILSON for Vice-President of the United States, at the same time moving that six delegates (one from each Senatorial district) be sent to the Philadelphia Convention, with the instruction to vote for the nomination of Gen. GRANT and Mr. WILSON. Mr. M. MANDL proposed an amendment to this motion, to wit, to instruct the six delegates to stand and fall with the nomination of Gen. GRANT for President, "but to leave it with the wise counsel of the Convention to nominate a suitable Vice-President, and that the delegates pledge our most hearty and undivided support in working for the election of the Philadelphia nominees."

The motion was carried unanimously, and the following delegates elected by acclamation: William N. Loew, M. Mandl, Maximilian Postsaner, Adolph Newborn, John Moore and James R. McFarland.

CITY AND COUNTY FINANCES.

Comptroller Warmoth's Report for Jan. 1, 1873—Cash and County Bonds.

The following is the monthly statement of the amount of warrants drawn, and for what purposes, against the City and County Treasury, Jan 1 to May 31, 1873, amounting in the aggregate to $23,159,598.35. Also a comparative statement of the City and County Debt, as of the 1st January and 31st May, 1873, with statement of bonds matured, and since sworn streets, to which the offices are closed all hours, were crowded to bringing him to the Second Precinct Station-house, where he was locked up. FREAL, who is a brother of DANIEL FREAL, the young Fourth Ward politician, who was shot and killed by JEREMIAH HANRIGAN some years ago at the corner of Frankfort and Pearl streets, will be arraigned before Justice HOGAN this morning.

THE GERMAN STRIKERS.

The Printers, the Engineers, the Fresco Painters, the Dischargo-Cutters and Other Trades.

Several trade societies, exclusively German, met yesterday, and discussed the eight-hour question. Below we give a report of the proceedings.

ACTION OF THE GERMAN PRINTERS—SCALE OF PRICES TO BE ADOPTED.

Under the auspices of the German Typographical Union, a meeting of German printers was held at Cobarger Hall, yesterday, for the purpose of organizing in aid of the labor reform movement, and to take into consideration measures to better the condition of the men employed in the trade. Mr. HERRMANN BAUER was called upon to preside, and Mr. EDWARD GROSSE was appointed Secretary. Addresses were delivered by Messrs. BAUER, STROETZEL, and GROSSE. From the remarks made, it appeared that one of the complaints of the German printers is that there is no standard scale of prices. On motion, those present enrolled themselves as a union, numbering 126, who each subscribed $1, and Mr. ERNST KNAUER was elected Treasurer. A committee of five, composed of Messrs. Engels, Stroetzel, Knauer, Senuth and Lesmeyer, was appointed to confer with Typographical Union No. 6 in reference to the matter, to obtain the co-operation of the English-speaking printers. Another committee was appointed, which, jointly with the others, is to propose a scale of prices. This committee was composed of Messrs. Weil, Schaefer, Plommer, Komm, Barthen, Wieser, Strauss, Kaufmann, Grosse, Athanen, Corôman and Oestrich.

The German printers in this City number about 500. The average earnings of those employed in newspaper work are $20 per week, and those employed on day-work receive on an average $13 per week.

THE GERMAN ENGINEERS MOVING FOR AN INCREASE OF WAGES.

The German engineers, of whom there are about 400 employed in this City, held a meeting at the Saxon Hall, yesterday, and formed trades-union to organize for the eight-hour movement. Those present enrolled their names, and some action was taken to insure the co-operation of the English-speaking branch of the trade.

THE GERMAN FRESCO PAINTERS DEMAND EIGHT HOURS.

The German fresco painters, numbering about 200, met at the Turn Hall yesterday to make final arrangements to enforce the eight-hour system in their trade. According to a report, a resolution passed is to take effect to-day. Those present, not members of the Association, enrolled their names. It is expected that most of the employers will accede to the eight-hour rule, and that these will be no strike to any extent.

THE CLOTHING-CUTTERS.

The clothing-cutters report that their strike has been successful, fifty-three of the largest firms in this City having agreed to the terms proposed by the men.

ACTION BY OTHER GERMAN TRADES-UNIONS.

The German cornectioners held a meeting at No. 77 Allen-street yesterday, to organize and demand the eight-hour system. The cane-makers met for the same purpose at the Walhall, in Orchard-street. The carpenters of Harlem met on Saturday night at Germania Hall, on One Hundred and Twenty-fifth-street, and formed a trades-union. The hat and cap makers met at No. 48 Avenue A to organize for the eight-hour reform, and for that purpose also formed a union. The cigar-box-makers resolved to strike for the eight-hour rule to-day. At the Harmonie Rooms, in Essex-street, a meeting of one hundred eight-hour planers and molding-makers was held yesterday forenoon for the same purpose.

TRAGEDY IN A BALL-ROOM.

A Young Girl Shot Dead at the Supper Table Without a Moment's Warning—Immediate Suicide of the Murderer.

From the San Francisco Alta, May 26.

Camp Reynolds, Angel Island, was the scene, on Friday night, of one of the most horrible tragedies that has ever occurred in this vicinity. There seems a mystery hanging over the affair, but the facts of the case, so far as could be learned, are as follows:

A social club was organized among the soldiers and non-commissioned officers of this camp, and during the Winter they gave a series of private theatricals. Among the members of the club were several belonging to Company H, under orders for Camp McDermott; and it was agreed to give an entertainment and dance, as a sort of farewell to them. Friday evening was chosen, and at that time quite a number of guests were present, including several from the city, in all fifteen or twenty couples. Everything passed off pleasantly, and about 10½ they sat down to supper, served in the mess-hall. Among the guests was EMMA SPOHR, daughter of one of the men of the Twelfth Infantry Band, a pretty little girl, in her sixteenth year. During the past month she has been on a visit to her father and mother on the island, though much of her time was spent in the city. During the evening she had evidently enjoyed herself very much; she was a great favorite with all, and another young girl and she sat side by side at the supper-table, while directly opposite sat her father and a young soldier named RAY. It would seem that the conversation of the two girls was in relation to this young man RAY, and they were laughing and criticising some remarks he had let fall when in private theatricals of the club. At this time FRITZ KIMMEL, First Sergeant of the band, entered the hall, walked to the rear of the chair occupied by Miss SPOHR, deliberately drew a Remington revolver, and as her head partially turned without a word of any kind fired, and the young girl fell into the arms of her companion, her face, but a moment before wreathed with smiles, now covered with blood.

In a moment all was confusion, and while the whole company sat as if were paralyzed at the horrible deed, the murderer stepped back a few steps, again raised the pistol, placed it to his own forehead and fired, and was dead even before his victim. A physician was almost immediately upon the spot, KIMMEL, the murderer, was already dead, but life still lingered in the girl. An examination showed that the ball had entered just behind the left ear, and had passed into the brain, producing a fatal wound. She was unconscious, and lived but about ten minutes. Her body was removed to the quarters of her parents, and the company, appalled by the sad and sudden conclusion of their entertainment, went to their homes.

An investigation into the affair was at once held by order of the commandant of the station, the civil authorities having no voice. A number of those present were examined, but the testimony given amounted to little beyond the facts given above. Two or three present saw KIMMEL draw the revolver, some dreamed of his intentions, while others thought he was only playing with it. One thing was proved, however, and that was that the pistol was accidentally discharged. But further testimony demonstrated almost to a certainty that the deed was premeditated, though his reasons for so doing remain a matter of conjecture. It was shown in the investigation that there existed but a passing acquaintance between the two. KIMMEL was always ready and anxious to pay her any polite attentions, and during her visit on the island was known to sit and watch the house where she was for long periods of time, and seemed pleased with a spirit of jealousy when any one of his comrades was with her. The night of the party he had invited her to attend it with him, but her parents at first refused, only consenting after repeated persuasions. KIMMEL, during the fore part of the evening, was engaged with the band, and it is but charitable to suppose that when the girl was enjoying herself with innocent freedom, dancing first with one and then another of its companions, excited him really to madness. What supper was served, he allowed her to be escorted to the table by another, and number for the ball. He was seen to go to the barracks, where it is supposed, he got the revolver. He then went to the guard-house, where a man named SUMMER was temporarily under arrest, said "good-bye" to him, and without explanation, walked back to the hall then to the mess-rooms, and without hesitation, committed the murder. Little further of interest was elicited at the investigation, and the decision was in accordance with the facts as related.

KIMMEL was a native of Germany and about twenty-five years of age. He never had been a favorite with his comrades, seemed of a very quiet and melancholy disposition, and many regarded him as a little weak-minded. EMMA SPOHR was born in Australia, and came to this State with her parents about nine years ago.

Personal.

Bishop John Sharp, of Salt Lake; Gen. A. Buckner, Gen. A. E. Jackson, of Tennessee; Hon. E. P. Ross, of Auburn; Judge L. Burke, of Cleveland; and Dr. J. C. Ayers, of Lowell, are at the St. Nicholas Hotel. Hon. F. E. Carroll, of Syracuse; Gen. R. M. Young, of Georgia; and Col. Fred. Robie, of Maine, are at the Grand Central Hotel. Judge James E. Denforth, of Massachusetts, and Rev. W. H. Van Buren, of Chicago, are at the Sturtevant House. Commander McCrea, of the United States Navy, and Dr. George S. Gerhard, of Philadelphia, are at the Everett House. Gen. James D. Fraser, of Connecticut; Congressman Alexander T. Mitchell, of Wisconsin, and Judge Johnson Hagner, of San Francisco, are at the Hoffman House. H. Fukahata and K. Nakahara, of the Japanese Commission, are at the Gilsey House. C. N. D. Davis, of France, is at the New-York Hotel. Senator T. W. Tipton, of Nebraska; Rev. J. B. Davis, of Boston; Judge Folsom, of New Hampshire, and Samuel Upton, of Manchester, N. H., are at the Fifth-avenue Hotel. Gen. E. L. Viele, of Connecticut, is at the Clarendon Hotel. Gen. Varona, of Mexico, is at the St. George Hotel. Dr. Titos Greene, of San Francisco, is at the Grand Hotel.

NEW-YORK AND SUBURBAN NEWS.

NEW-YORK.

The shoe jobbing houses will close their store at 3 o'clock P. M. on Saturday during the months of June and July.

CHARLES KIMBACK, a clerk in the Frankfort House, was held for trial at the Tombs, yesterday, for stealing $60 from his employer, Mr. GILBERT C. SMITH.

ANDREW O'BALDWIN, a young thief, was held for trial at the Tombs, yesterday, for attempting to rob a lady on a Third-avenue car on Saturday evening.

In the Yorkville Police Court yesterday EDWARD CHURCH was held in $800 bail for driving his wagon over ERNST WITTEROW, of No. 364 Eleventh-avenue.

JOHN BROWN was held in $300 bail in the Yorkville Police Court, yesterday, for threatening to take the life of PATRICK O'BRIEN, of No. 206 East Thirty-first-street.

The White Star steam-ship *Baltic*, which left Liverpool on May 28 and Queenstown on May 24, reached this port yesterday with 2 days fresher by three days than those previously at hand.

During a fight at No. 2 Hamilton-street yesterday, WILLIAM KERRIGAN, a dock-laborer, had several ribs fractured, and was badly cut about the head, by CHARLES CLARK, a fellow-boarder, who escaped. KERRIGAN was taken to Bellevue Hospital.

On Saturday night, JAMES CURTIN, of Fifty-seventh-street, near Second-avenue, attempted to escape a drunken prisoner from Secret Watch-box of the Nineteenth Precinct. CURTIN was locked up to answer yesterday in the Yorkville Police Court.

CLIFFORD B. FULTON, aged nineteen, hailing from Rochester, was yesterday committed without bail by Justice LEDWITH, upon his own confession of having forged the name of G. M. CHAPMAN to a check upon the National Shoe and Leather Bank for $4,500.

EDWARD DANIELS, of Boston, the billiard champion of Massachusetts, is in the City, and will take part in a four-handed game, to be played at CYRILLE DION's this afternoon. GOLDTHWAITE, LEWIS, DION and several other players will also exhibit their skill.

Justice LEDWITH yesterday held PATRICK F. MALONEY, of No. 406 West Thirty-third-street, in $100 bail for violation of the Excise law in keeping his liquor saloon open on Sunday, the complainant being Officer TOWNSEND, of the Twentieth Police Precinct.

A most daring robbery was committed at One hundred and Fortieth-street and the Boulevard, early yesterday morning. Mr. FRANK WOOD was attacked in front of his residence by a thief, who, after a struggle, succeeded in wresting from Mr. WOOD a pocket-book containing $60. The robber then fled two shots at him, one of which passed through his hat.

BROOKLYN.

The store of D. LEOFOLD, No. 230 Fulton-street, was robbed of $90 cash by a till-tapper on Saturday night.

A very large audience attended Father BURKE's lecture on "Catholic Education," last evening, at the Academy of Music.

Rev. Dr. CHAMBERLAIN, of Chicago, preached on "The Effect of the Great Fire on the Congregational Churches of Chicago" in Plymouth Church, last evening.

PATRICK FAY, of No. 36 Clermont-avenue, died suddenly on Saturday after partaking of a dish of clam chowder. It is supposed that he swallowed a sharp-edged piece of shell, which caused an internal hemorrhage.

A fight occurred at a late hour on Saturday night in THUS's lager-beer saloon, No. 25 Union-street, during which the proprietor of the place was so severely beaten by the rowdies as to cause his death yesterday morning.

There were thirty-seven fires in Brooklyn during the month of May, of which seven were caused by incendiarism and thirteen by the careless use of fires and lights. The loss on buildings amounted to $138,400, and on stock to $283,400.

The only firm of plumbers and gas-fitters who have held out against the Eight-hour law is that of ARMSTRONG & BLOCKLIN, of South Brooklyn, where about 150 workmen are employed. The latter held a meeting on Saturday night and resolved to strike to-day, but their employers have come to decide upon on Tuesday morning, and it is believed that the employes' terms will be harmoniously acceded to.

LONG ISLAND.

Whitestone is to have a town hall.

The work on the improvement of Port Jefferson harbor has commenced.

Hon. JOHN A. KING is a delegate to the Philadelphia National Republican Convention.

Bishop LOUGHLIN yesterday laid the corner-stone of the church of Our Lady Loretto, in Hempstead.

A hotel is to be built at Locust Point by Prof. HOSFORD to cost $30,000, work to be commenced next month.

The Shinnecock and Montauk Indians held their annual June festival yesterday. It was witnessed by hundreds of whites, special trains being run over the Long Island Railroad.

JOHN GANLY, of No. 46 Navy-street, had his head split open yesterday with a bar of iron by a daughter-in-law, with whom he was quarreling. He was conveyed to the City Hospital, where the surgeon pronounced his injuries mortal.

STATEN ISLAND.

Yesterday, the Staten Island Ferry Company ran extra boats to accommodate the unusual number of passengers. Over 5,000 pleasure-seekers crossed during the day.

NEW-JERSEY.

The workmen employed at the Lodi Print-works, the company owning which has recently failed, have all been discharged and work is suspended.

The United States Post-office and Court-house to be erected in Trenton will be built of brown stone, 110 feet long by 65 feet deep, and three stories high.

Hon. SCHUYLER COLFAX, in a letter to a gentleman in Newark, has acknowledged with thanks the expression of the New-Jersey State Convention in favor of his renomination.

The new seminary building of Rutgers College is being constructed as rapidly as possible to be ready for the opening of the Fall term. The building is of brick, with Nova Scotia stone trimmings. The plans of the Sage Library are completed, and its erection will be commenced as soon as contracts can be completed. The Geological Hall of the College will also be ready for opening at the Fall term.

AN EQUESTRIAN WESTON.

The "California Boy" Essays to Ride 200 Miles in Twelve Hours, at Chicago—He Exhibits Pluck, but is Thrown, Bruised and Beaten.

From the Chicago Post, May 29.

RITAKER, commonly known—for a few days at least—as the "California Boy," attempted his 200-mile race in twelve hours yesterday, at Dexter Park, and met a Sedan defeat. About 1,000 persons were present and witnessed the affair. RITAKER is a young man, medium sized and hardy looking. He was dressed in the ordinary jockey costume, and appeared to be pretty confident of success. Messrs. J. W. COOK, S. D. SKINNER, P. J. HANRIGAN and A. M. WOOD were chosen judges of the race. E. S. BOYINGTON was prevailed upon to act as time-keeper.

The race commenced at 5¾ o'clock. Only half the number of horses announced in the programme was on the ground. One of these was blind, and the others of no considerable. RITAKER commenced with spirit, and made his first mile in 3:17. He rode without accident until the twenty-fifth round, when the "ugly" beast before mentioned "bolted," and threw the rider against the fence, injuring him severely. This caused a delay of some twelve minutes, when the business was resumed. It was, however, evident that RITAKER was badly crippled by the accident, and his trainers expended a vast quantity of bay rum in sponging him down. He fainted once, but persevered in his task, running up to the 173d round, when he became weak once more and swooned away. This made betting lively against him, and his backers began to look blue. After being plunged in a bath, he was mounted again, continuing his exertions up to the 198th round, when he again bestrode the obstreperous equine that had caused his former mishap. The beast only waited for RITAKER to mount, when it bolted, kicked in the air, and made straight for another fence, which was standing by the rail. The collision threw the rider clean over the fence. He fell flat on his back and lay stretched out as if dead. He was carried to the stand and was rubbed with great industry until consciousness partially returned. A hack was procured and the unfortunate man was removed to the Transit House, where he received surgical treatment. It was then discovered that his body was bruised and black, and almost from head to foot, and the medical man had grave doubts as to whether the patient could come through the danger.

The race ended after RITAKER had completed 175¾ miles, and had been in the saddle nine hours and twenty-four minutes. His fastest time was on the 69th round, which he accomplished in 17m. It is hard to say what might have been the result had RITAKER not met with the requisite number of falls, and ceased to be disgusted from his nocturnal excesses. Sporting men seem about to issue safe money, ranging from $5,000 to $15,000, was lost upon the result of the race. The fiasco may serve the purpose of deterring other fool-hardy persons from vainly defying the laws of nature.

A Very Knowing Ont.

The Chicago *Journal* of Thursday evening last is responsible for this story: "The residents of No. 81 White-street, in this city, had in their possession, at the time of the great fire, a Maltese cat, which was lost during the conflagration, and was supposed to have been burned. They were very much surprised yesterday, however, at the sudden appearance of the pet, which, after a six months' absence, returned to its old stamping ground, where a new house has been erected, and an entire transformation taken place."

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Havana Weekly Market.

HAVANA, June 1.—SUGAR at Havana and Matanzas—Stock, 466,000 boxes and 35,500 hhds.; receipts of the week, 56,425 boxes and 4,600 hhds.; exported during the week, 43,000 boxes and 4,000 hhds., including 11,650 boxes and 4,000 hhds. to the United States. Market at Havana firmer; Nos. 10 to 12 Dutch standard, 10⅜@10⅝ reals ₰ arroba; Nos. 13 to 20 Dutch standard, 11⅛@11⅜ reals ₰ arroba. Molasses Sugar in fair demand at 9⅝@9¾ reals ₰ arroba for Nos. 4 to 10. Muscovado Sugar—Fair to good Refining quiet and weak at 9@9⅜ reals ₰ arroba; Grocery grades, 10⅛@10⅜ reals per arroba; Market dull and weak. Molasses steady; clayed, 5¾ reals ₰ keg. BACON easier at $13 ₰ cwt. BUTTER, Western Imperial for superior American. FLOUR, $14 67½@15 12½ ₰ bbl. for American, Hard Wheat, Superfine. LARD, salted, 11¼@11¾ ₰ quintal; American smoked, 12¾@13 50 ₰ quintal. LARD weak in kegs, $14@14 25 ₰ quintal; in tins, $17 50@18 50 ₰ quintal. TALLOW, $13@14 ₰ quintal. RICE, Rangoon, $11 ₰ arroba; White, $16@17 ₰ arroba. COAL—In tins, 7 reals ₰ gallon. TURPENTINE, 12½@12¾ reals ₰ gallon. TAR, $2 ₰ bbl. LUMBER active. White Pine, $28@30 ₰ M. Yellow Pine, $25@30—Box, 9@10 reals; boarded for Molasses, 19@20 reals. HOOPS in fair demand; long shaved $20 ₰ M.; short shaved, $4@5. FREIGHTS steady to Northern and Southern ports in demand. United States ₰ bag of Sugar, 3 12@3 25. Bbls. of sugar, 5@7 50; ₰ bbl. of Molasses, 1@1 50. To Falmouth and orders, 6@6 50 ₰ ton. EXCHANGE—United States, 60 days, currency, 1 premium; short sight, 1¼@2¼ premium; 90 days, gold, 13¾@14 premium; short sight, 15¼@16 premium; on London, 26¼@27 premium; on Paris, 11¼@11¾ premium.

Passengers Arrived.

In steam-ship Baltic, from Liverpool.—Mr. Coolidge, Mrs. Coolidge, Miss Butrick, Miss Addie Merry, Miss Woodbury, Mrs. M. J. Jones, Miss Jones, Miss Lizzie Fowler, Mrs. J. W. Eaton, Master Eaton, Alfred Eaton, Tee, G. F. Jones, F. Ashton, Mrs. M. Ashton, Miss M. Ashton, Miss L. Ogelvie, Miss B. Ogelvie, Master Thos. Ogelvie, R. F. Woodbury, H. Heyward, Mrs. Heyward, Miss Heyward, D. Heyward, J. D. Heyward, Mrs. Headley, Miss Headley, Miss Nell, Mrs. Herrick, Miss S. L. Herrick, J. W. Isaacs, Herman S. Rothe, R. Mason, R. H. Slater, J. M. Kirby Chee, Baltimore, Md., Miss Anna M. H. A. Holland, A. Wheeler, Jr., Mrs. Ogelvie, Mrs. Ogelvie, infant and servant; Miss Anna M. Herrick, Master H. Walter Herrick, James Carr, J. H. Jackson, Henry Devine, F. B. Mackay, Dr. J. E. Johnson, G. C. Smith, Miss Flora Johnson and servant, George Kidd, Lewis Chalmers, J. R. Upham, C. H. Killey, Mr. J. T. Glasson, Major J. Brown, J. J. Mickley, W. Batty.

In steam-ship Spain, from Liverpool.—Mary Brown, Capt. R. C. Nichols, George Appleton, Benjamin Hansen, Wm. Falkner, Philip Gosset, G. Biden, C. Guillmand, Mr. and Mrs. Healey, Miss Healey, C. LeCoq, S. Vidal, Mr. and Mrs. Mayer and servant,